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T. G. Jewett, whose auto and a Third street car, disputed a crossing with most disastrous results to the buzz wagon, denies it is being repaired, for the very conclusive reason that it is fit for the scrap pile only. He has been offered $50 by a local dealer for "the rest and residue" and will seek to recover the total value of the machine from the street railway, having placed his claim with an attorney with instructions to sue.

Doc Just Has to Build

Dr. Goodpastor will either build a new and larger business house on one of his lots, or enlarge his present quarters. He owns the lots on all four of the corners of Twelfth and Waller, and lots further up and down Twelfth street. Doc says when he started in business in Portsmouth it was on Twelfth street, near Findlay, and all he had to show was six candy jars and an old watch, which he placed in the front window. He made money from the start and don't owe man a farthing.

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Mesdames Otto Schwartz and Robert Lewis and Misses Belle Nourot and Emma Gleason enjoyed an outing in the Kentucky hills, Sunday.

A SMALL RIOT AT NEWPORT

Newport, Ky., Sept. 13.—A running duel in which fugitives and policemen figured, threw a section of this city into the wildest pitch of excitement this morning. Many shots were fired and one person was injured, Chris Eoert, the city jailer, who received a bullet wound in the ear. The trouble began when Detective Morton called at a hotel to arrest R. W. Leroy and Isaac Brewer on the charge of detaining 14-year-old Florence Leroy. Both the men are about 40. Leroy says he comes from San Francisco and Brewer says his home is in Richmond, Ind. The girl is declared to be an adopted child from Winchester, Ind. The girl was taken into custody and Leroy captured, but Brewer escaped.

WOMAN LEAVES HER HUSBAND

A laboring man named Yates, who, with his wife, has been occupying rooms over Goodpastor's grocery, at Twelfth and Waller streets, is now minus a helpmeet. Saturday his wife sold all her belongings and that night she left his bed and board and has not been heard of since. Yates has locked the doors and left orders with Goodpastor not to let the truant wife in should she come back. Yates is a steady hard-working man, and just now is in the employ of Contractor Seymour, excavating Twelfth. Their married life has not been ideal. They have had several spats and it is said the wife has not conducted herself discreetly in receiving the attentions of other men. Yates takes the matter philosophically, and says he is not worrying as to whether she ever comes back or not.

Doc Just Has to Build

Dr. Goodpastor will either build a new and larger business house on one of his lots, or enlarge his present quarters. He owns the lots on all four of the corners of Twelfth and Waller, and lots further up and down Twelfth street. Doc says when he started in business in Portsmouth it was on Twelfth street, near Findlay, and all he had to show was six candy jars and an old watch, which he placed in the front window. He made money from the start and don't owe man a farthing.

Fiend Kills Two Little Girls

Utica, Sept. 13.—Theresa Tracopolo, aged 7, is dead with a bullet in her head, Fanny Infusino, aged six, who was with the child, was shot in the stomach and cannot recover. While a little brother of the Infusino girl was shot in the arm, by a strange man. The children were walking in an isolated section of the city with a man. The girls were attacked before they were shot.

Al Saunders, formerly with the Breece Manufacturing company, now of Paintsville, Ky., was a business visitor here Saturday.

Will Resign From The Cabinet

Chicago, Sept. 13.—A Washington dispatch to the Tribune says it is understood the president is not satisfied with the explanation which Secretary Ballinger has given regarding his connection with the Cunningham coal tract in Alaska, and it is further said Ballinger is to retire from the cabinet.

MEANS TO SUE FOR LOSS OF AUTO

T. G. Jewett, whose auto and a Third street car disputed a crossing with most disastrous results to the buzz wagon, denies it is being repaired, for the very conclusive reason that it is fit for the scrap pile only. He has been offered $50 by a local dealer for "the rest and residue" and will seek to recover the total value of the machine from the street railway, having placed his claim with an attorney with instructions to sue.

COLLISION AT PIKETON

A rear-end collision between two N. & W. freight trains occurred on a siding at Piketon on Sunday night.

One of the engines was badly battered and a caboose demolished but no one was hurt. The local wreck train was called out to clear up the wreckage.

Paving The Alley.

Jake Cooper and a force of men began work Monday paving the alley between the Portsmouth shoe factory and Jones-Ferguson company buildings.

BOBBY BOTTIN
THE TIMES WEATHER MAN

Seattle, Sept. 13.—Me and A. Z. still seein' the big show. We ran into a toboggan slide runnin' down into a lake this a. m. and A. Z. insisted on takin' a ride nothwithstandin' the fact that the place where we had to land was wetter'n Portsmouth. He just wouldn't be put off. "I've never rid one o' them things," said he, "and by Heck, I'm goin' to ride that one if I get drowned." Said he wanted some experience in toboggan ridin' in case he should hit a political one later on. So we went. This thing is gettin' too strenuous for me and unless A. Z. slows up a bit I'm comin' home. Here is the weather:

Ohio and West Va.—Fair tonight and probably Tuesday.

Indiana.— Probably showers late tonight or Tuesday.

Witness Fees For the Asking

County Clerk Adams has quite a large amount of witness fees and other costs recently paid into his hands from various cases. The parties named below can get the amounts set opposite their names by applying to the clerk or sending in a written order for same. The list includes the following persons:

Henry Amberg	$1 00
Dr. L. D. Allard	2 00
J. M. Augustin	1 00
August Arnold	2 00
George Appel	2 00
Edward Althar	6 40
Peter Bending	3 80
Thomas Breslan	3 00
Irwin Blackburn	40
T. J. Burke	2 00
Jacob Brunner	3 00
Dr. A. Berndt	1 00
J. J. Brushart	50
Dr. Brodnac	1 00
Dr. Jacob Beard	2 00
David Bradshaw	2 00
William Bruck	2 00
Chas. Bussa	50
Wm. Barbee	1 00
J. C. Clark	50
F. M. Chafin	2 15
Barney Compliment	50
Tom Crabtree	2 40
Lou Coben	2 00
Mrs. Cross	2 00
John P. Capehart	1 00
Marvin C. Clark	80
Wm. Carter	3 50
Wm. Dressler	1 60
J. L. Delle	1 00
Ross Dunlap	1 70
Wm. Donley	1 00
James Distel	1 00
Leopold Devener	3 50
Geo. V. Dixon	2 00
Merle O. Dudnit	2 00
F. M. Edwards	50
Charles Irwin	1 00
Dr. J. W. Fitch	1 00
Dr. W. A. Frizzell	1 00
John Fritz	1 70
Wm. Ferguson	1 00
Jacob Findeis	20
Albert Feurt	2 60
J. J. Forsyth	5 10
Alg. Forsythe	3 50
Sam'l Gilbert	1 00
W. A. Gims	1 00
J. R. Gilliland	40
A. M. Glockner	20
D. W. Gustin	1 00
Frank Goltz	1 00
Wm. Goltz	1 00
J. W. Graham	1 00
Geo. D. Gims	1 00
Dr. S. S. Halderman	2 00
J. I. Hudson	1 00
Mrs. Bruce Hoobler	1 00
A. T. Holcomb	1 00
W. A. Hutchins	1 00
Dr. Hopkins	1 70
A. T. Holcomb, Jr.	40
Bert Hill	1 40
Mrs. Bert Hill	1 40
G. P. Hannahs	2 00
E. A. Hodge	1 25
Sally Isham	1 00
Martha Jacobs	1 00
Enoch Jones	50
Geo. Jenkins	1 20
Frank Knaus	1 00
John Kaps	2 00
Edith Keller	1 00
Wm. C. Kallner	1 00
David S. Lee	40
Thomas Lawson	1 00
James Literal	3 50
John Lenhart	1 00
Eli Mougey	17 02
David C. Mougey	17 02
Roscoe Mault	5 30
Carl Monk	1 00
Dr. O. S. Micklethwait	1 00
Sam Miller	1 00
J. B. Mackby	1 90
Jos. McIntyre	3 30
David McKenzie	2 00
Dr. E. O. McCall	1 60
Truit McDaniel	2 00
Hezekiah McDaniel	4 20
Hazel Nagel	25
M. J. Noel	1 40
John Nance	1 00
T. P. Noel	1 20
Wm. Petit	2 70
Simon Rose	1 20
Sam Reed	1 00
Judson Rainey	1 00
Dr. O. W. Robe	1 00
John Richardson	2 00
John Rottinghaus	1 00
Oscar Rickey	2 45
O. Radabaugh	80
Wm. Reinert	1 00
Mrs. Royse	1 40
Floyd L. Smith	40
Mrs. Hayes Schultz	80
George W. Sheppard	40
Geo. W. Sallady	1 70
E. A. Scott	80
Mrs. Carey Stout	3 20
Fred Stone	1 30
John Snyder (banker)	1 00
F. L. Sikes	5 70
Mary J. Stanfield	1 60
Wesley Staker	1 00
Dr. W. W. Smith	1 00
Oscar L. Seth	80
Fred Schuam	2 00
Geo. D. Selby	1 00
L. Taylor	4 50
Dr. A. L. Test	1 00
James Thompson	50
John Tilton	1 00
Milton Taylor	1 00
J. B. Tracy	1 00
Fred Warner	1 00
Miss Clara B. White	
Mrs. Nettie Wheeler	1 70
Ed Welch	2 00
Johnson Welch	1 00
Jacob Werner	1 00
John Werner	1 00
Wm. Wamsor	200
W. A. Wright	1 00
J. N. Wamsley	40
Jos. Walters	1 50
J. M. Williams	1 00

Paint Peels Off
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COL WM. BOLLES AT BULL RUN

Colonel William M. Bolles was a volunteer aid to General Reynolds at the second battle of Bull Run. His own command was in the Shenandoah Valley and the colonel had a brother commanding a regular battery in the Army of the Potomac whom he desired to see very much, and the only way to get to him was to go as a vounteer aid to some general in that army. He saw his brother and he also saw much more of that famous battle than he could have seen under any other circumstances. He helped rally a broken New York regiment, with no officer in sight higher than a sergeant get the men in line and told him what to do. He pointed out General Reynolds' headquarters, flag and told the sergeant to take his men there and report. The sergeant did so and the next day was made a lieutenant. He was riding with his brother when a shell passed between them and exploded not far away. His brother then ordered him to ride farther away, saying he didn't want to have one shell kill both of them. The colonel saw the movement which resulted in the cashiering of General Fitz John Porter and says great injustice was done Porter. Had he obeyed Pope's orders, the colonel said, it would have resulted in the destruction of Porter's corps by Longstreet.

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THE MARKETS

Opening.

Wheat Sept. $1.02¼; Dec. 96⅞; May 99¾.

Corn Sept. 67; Dec. 59⅞; May 61¾.

Oats Sept. 39⅝; Dec. 39¼; May 41¾.

Close.

Wheat Sept. $1.03⅞; Dec. 98¼ May $1.01½.

Corn Sept. 67; Dec. 60¼; May 61⅞.

Oats Sept. 39¾; Dec. 39⅝; May 41½.

BRUCE MEETS DUFFY

Ed Doyle has received a letter from Ed Bruce, former Times pressman, now located at Denver in which Ed tells of the pleasure of meeting Infielder Duffy, the Shoemakers' old third baseman. Duffy is playing independent ball out there and is going splendidly. He had many interesting things to relate concerning the River City and the disastrous season of its club, but never once showed any bitterness toward anyone. He explained his actions in jumping the team, in the fact that he was downhearted over the rut he had gotten into and when he found the team unwilling to give him his release he left town in sheer desperation, believing it to be for the club's best interest as well as for his own peace of mind.

Paints Block.

Thomas Haley, the East End livery man, has had his business block at the corner of Gallia and Clay streets handsomely repainted.

Leaves On Vacation.

Ira Abrahms, a foreman of the McKay room at the Selby shoe factory, left Saturday afternoon for a two weeks' vacation visit to his home in New York.

Going To Rushtown.

Harry Tatman and wife of West Second street left Saturday afternoon for a visit to relatives at Rushtown.

M. E. Conference Held At Jackson

Jackson, Sept. 13.—The attention of the 80,000 Methodists within the bounds of the Ohio annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will be turned toward Jackson, O., for the next few days. On Tuesday next the ninety eighth session of the conference will begin in the First M. E. church of that city and it will continue until the following Monday night.

Ministers will begin to arrive on Monday from various parts of the district, but it will be Wednesday evening before they are all on hand. It is expected that there will be something like 400 visitors in Jackson all told, consisting of ministers of the conference, their wives, general agents of the church, prominent laymen, etc.

Many ministers who have not met Bishop Thomas B. Neeley, D. D., LL. D., the presiding bishop, have been very favorably impressed with what they have heard of his ability. There will be two occasions upon which Bishop Neeley will appear before the conference in a special manner, namely, when he addresses the class of young ministers seeking admission into the conference and at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, Sept. 19, when he will deliver the conference sermon.

Bishop Neeley's home is in New Orleans, La. He was consecrated bishop of the Methodist Episcopal church at the general conference in 1904, and is therefore a comparatively new man in this part of the country. This is the first time for him to preside over the Ohio conference.

Capudine for. "That Headache."
Out last night? Headache and nervous this morning? Capudine just the thing to fit you for business. Clears the head—braces the nerves. Try it. At all drug stores.

Complaint About Girl

Mrs. Mary Bloomfield registered a kick with the police Sunday evening about an eleven year old girl named Johnson. They live in the "Red Rag" at Mill and Chillicothe streets and the Johnson girl is in the habit of taking playthings from Mrs. Bloomfield's baby and slapping the tot at times.

Abusing His Wife

A complaint reached police headquarters Sunday evening about a man named Webb abusing his wife in the vicinity of Twelfth and Gay streets. Webb was drinking but had gone to bed by the time the officers reached his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Si Straus has returned from a business trip to Cincinnati.

BROTHER DIES IN PHILA.

George Bell, well known resident of Wheelersburg, received a telegram Monday morning, apprising him of the death of his oldest brother, John Crawford Bell, who passed away at his home in Philadelphia, Pa., Sunday.

The message stated that Mr. Bell had succumbed to Bright's disease and a complication of other stomach troubles. He had been very sick for some time. Although born in Philadelphia, Mr. Bell was quite well known in this city and vicinity. He resided for some time at Clinton Furnace and at Ironton. While at Philadelphia he was engaged in the real estate business. A wife and two brothers, George of Wheelersburg and Will of Philadelphia, survive. His relatives here were not informed as to what funeral arrangements had been made.

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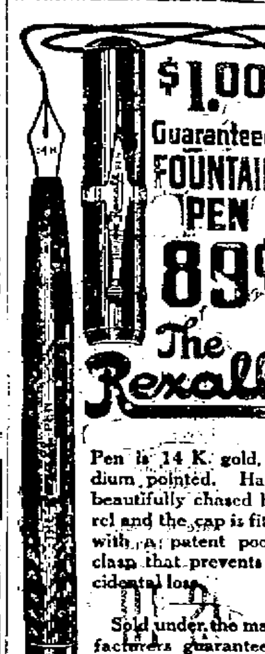

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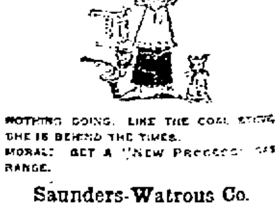

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The lot includes Children's, Misses and Ladies Jackets in all styles and colors. The prices vary from $1.98 to $7.50.

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NO. 3, FOR $3.39 EACH. FIFTY PRETTY DRESS SKIRTS made in the newest fashions of fine Panama, Poplin, Cecillian and Voile, cut in latest model and as well finished as a skirt need be. The price only $3.39.

ANOTHER DEPARTMENT of special interest with just the goods you want.

Dress Goods for Princess Dresses, soft, plain colors in high class fabrics at the price of the ordinary.

Santoy for 98c yard. This beautiful Silk Warp fabric in a soft finish, desirable weight and suitable colors at a saving of 52c yard.

$1.00 values in Dress Goods for 75c yard. Any color or quality you may select, which is a dollar value, you take, these three days at only 75c.

The 75c quality in the different styles at 59c, and the 50c Dress fabrics at only 39c. The trimmings suitable for the new one piece outfits at a saving of 30 per cent.

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Suits $13.50 to $45.00. Skirts $5.50 to $15.00. Coats $7.50 to $25.00.

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WEST SECOND AND COURT STREETS.

SMALL WRECK TIED UP THE TRAFFIC

Almost a complete tie-up of street car traffic for forty minutes was the result of a slight accident on the N. & W. near the officers street crossing Saturday evening.

A freight train pulled an entire end out of a box car and before the car could be put on a siding and the wreckage cleared up other trains came along and the intersections of Offnere, Lincoln and Waller streets were blockaded. Street cars were on both sides of Tenth street the line on the south side extending almost down as far as Waller street. Had a fire broken out somewhere on the hill top the fire companies would have had great difficulty reaching the scene.

Elect Officers

At the regular monthly meeting of the Henrietta Evans W. C. T. U. the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. Henrietta Evans.

Vice presidents, Mrs. Mary B. Davis, Miss Louisa E. Parker.

Recording secretary, Mrs. Hattie E. Bryant.

Treasurer, Miss Vanora Nash.

Superintendent of flower mission department, Mrs. Florence Nash.

Delegate to county convention, Mrs. Hattie Bryant.

KIDS TO HAVE TENT SHOW

The dwellers on Tenth street, between John and Waller, are threatened with a tent show of unique proportions and picturesque character. The kids have preempted a vacant lot and are evolving a tent out of old pieces of carpet. In many cases the neighbors have given them the carpet in order to get rid of it; later on they'll be giving most anything to get rid of the show. Thus far the beating of tin pans seems to be the chief attraction in a musical way.

Coal Company Elect Officers

Stockholders of the Middle Creek Coal company met in Ironton Saturday and elected the following directors: David Halley of Ironton, R. E. Patrick of Paintsville, Ky.; Judge Stanley of Prestonburg, Howard Estell of Lexington, Morgan Evans of Jackson and Judge Holcomb of Portsmouth. Mr. Halley was chosen president; Mr. Patrick, vice president; Judge Stanley, secretary and Mr. Estell, manager and treasurer.

It was decided by the directors to make some needed improvements at the mine to the extent of some $7000.

Quartette For Arcana

A quartette composed of 'Doc' Stewart, 'Colum' Gordon, Prof. Shore and Joe Gilgen, have been engaged by Manager Potts to sing at the Arcana on Tuesday and on Saturday nights this winter. Stewart, the handsome bass, scored quite a hit in last week's song which was entitled "Mid the Blue Grass of Kentucky."

Will Attend The O. S. U.

Will Atlas, son of Henry Atlas, one of last year's graduates of the Portsmouth High school, expects to enter the Ohio State University at Columbus.

Saw Ben Evans.

A number of Portsmouth people who spent Sunday in Cincinnati saw Ben Evans with the Lew Dockstader minstrels at the Lyric. Ben is now the principal comedian of the troupe.

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The very best Men's 25c Suspenders will be sold at this sale under the hammer at

9c

Boys' Suits, all kinds, all sizes, worth up to $3.00, will be sold at this sale under the hammer. Price

98c

Men's Pants, the regular $1.50 kind will be sold at this sale under the hammer. Price

49c

Men's Shoes, all kinds, all sizes, the kind you pay $2.50 for, sold under the hammer. Price

$1.19

Men's Canvas Gloves, worth 10c. Sold all over at that price. Under the hammer Price

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The Entire Brand New Stock of The L. H. Sieling Company, Eighth and Chillicothe Streets to be sold under the hammer of necessities at your own price.

This Big Sale Opens Up Saturday, Sept. 18 at 9 A. M.

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Hence we say. Daring Feats of underselling to dazzle and delight you; little prices that beggar description and stagger belief, will prevail during this sale. Its a duty you owe to yourself and family to investigate the offerings.

Come, Get All the Facts and Be Convinced!

This sale will break all records for this season, smash all precedents and drive all pretentious competitors to the wall. It will bring people from miles and induce sensible men, "saving" mothers with boys to get some of the Shoes, Clothing and Furnishing Goods at the Greatest Bargain nature Brand New Goods, from the pressing irons of manufacturers of high grade Clothing, Shoes and Furnishing Goods.

Get this fact clearly in your mind. All goods at The L. H. Sieling Company are absolutely guaranteed in every way and each item is shown just as represented in this advertisement. Below we quote you a few prices to show you what extraordinary bargains will be offered in this great sale.

Men's White Handkerchiefs. The regular 10c value, very cheap at that price. Under the hammer Price

1c

Men's Fancy Hose, also Black or Brown. The regular 15c kind. To be sold under the hammer. Price

4c

Boys' Knee Pants, worth up to 50c. Very cheap at that price. Will be sold under the hammer. Price

6c

Men's Suits, all colors worth $7.50. That's the price you will pay many stores. Under the hammer Price

$2.48

Ladies' Fine Shoes, the very best $2.00 Shoe that can be bought, will be sold under the hammer. Price

98c

READ! REJOICE! RESPOND!

Men's Red and Blue Handkerchiefs— The regular 10c value will be sold at this sale under the hammer. Price 3c

Ladies' and Men's Jap Silk Handkerchiefs. The regular 35c kind will be sold at this sale under the hammer. Price 12c

Men's Hose Supporters, all kinds. The kind you pay 25c for. All over will be sold at this sale, under the hammer. Price..... 8c

Men's 25c Caps. Sold under the hammer. Price 9c

Men's Suit Cases. The regular $2.00 kind. This case will be sold under the hammer at..... 98c

Ladies' Dress Shoes, all kinds, all Leathers. The kind you pay $2.00 for. All over this shoe will be sold under the hammer. Price $1.19

Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes, all kind all leathers, all styles. This Shoe sells all over at $2.50 Will be sold under the hammer. Price $1.48

Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes all kinds of leathers, all styles. This Shoe sells all over at $3.50. Will be sold under the hammer. Price $1.98

Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes, all the new styles, all kinds of leathers, all styles. One of the best Shoes made. The Shoe will be sold under the hammer. Regular price $4.00. Price $2.19

Ladies' Fine Dress Shoe, all the new things, all kinds of leathers, all styles. The Shoe sells all over at $4.50. Will be sold under the hammer. Price..... $2.48

Ladies' Very Finest Dress Shoes, all the new styles, all kinds of leathers, all styles. This Shoe sells all over at $5.00. Will be sold under the hammer. Price.. $2.98

Baby Shoes, all kinds. The ones you pay 50c for, will be sold under the hammer. Price 19c

Men's Very Fine Dress Shoes, all kinds of leathers, all styles, all the new fall and winter styles Will be sold under the hammer. Price $2.69

Men's Very Fine Dress Shoes. All the new fall and winter styles, all leathers, all styles Will be sold under the hammer. Regular price $5.00. Price $2.98

Men's Very Fine Dress Shoes, all the new styles, all kinds, all leathers. Regular $5.50 price all over. Will be sold under the hammer. Price $3.19

Men's Very Fine Dress Shoes. The very best kind all styles, all leathers, all new. Will be sold under the hammer. Price..... $3.48

Men's Fine Stiff Hats, all the new fall styles. The regular $2.50 kind. Will be sold under the hammer. Price 98c

Men's Shoes, all leathers, all kinds the kind you pay $2.50 for in all stores. Will be sold under the hammer. Price $1.39

Men's Good Shoes, all leathers all kinds, very cheap at $2.75. Will be sold under the hammer. Price $1.48

Men's Fine Dress Shoes, all leathers, all kinds. The kind you will like at first sight. Sold all over at $3.50. Under the hammer price $1.98

Men's Very Fine Dress Shoes, all kinds, all leathers. All the new fall and winter styles. Sold all over at $4.00. Will be sold under the hammer. Price..... $2.48

Men's Strictly Hand Made Suits. The very latest styles for fall and winter. Sells all over at $25.00. Will be sold under the hammer price at $14.95

Men's Heavy Overcoats, all the new fall and winter styles. We have them from $4.95 up. You will pay a great deal more of you wait to buy one this winter

New Rain Overcoats, a full line for fall and winter. If you buy one at this sale you will save more than half.

Men's Soft Hats, all styles. Regular $1.00 kind. Sold under the hammer price 48c

Men's Fine Soft Hats. The regular $2.00 kind. Sold under the hammer price 79c

Men's Very Fine New Fall and Winter Suits. The very best make sold in any clothing house at $15.00. Will be sold under the hammer price at $7.95

Men's Very Fine Dress Suits. Strictly hand made, all the new fall and winter models. The regular $18.00 kind. Will be sold under the hammer at..... $9.95

Men's Very Fine Dress Suits. The very kind you pay $20.00 for. Strictly hand made, all the new fall and winter styles. Will be sold under the hammer price.. $11.95

Men's Very Fine Dress Suits. Strictly hand made and you will be surprised when you see this suit. Sells all over at $22.50. Will be sold under the hammer price $12.95

Men's Fine Dress Pants worth up to $3.00. Will be sold at this sale. Under the hammer price $1.19

Men's Fine Dress Pants, worth up to $3.50. Will be sold under the hammer price $1.48

Men's Very Fine Dress Pants, all the new fall and winter styles. worth up to $4.00. Will be sold under the hammer price... $1.98

Men's New Fall and Winter Suits just received. The regular $10 kind, all styles, all kind. Will be sold under the hammer price $4.98

Men's Very Fine Dress Suits, the new fall and winter models. Cheap at $12.50. Will be sold under the hammer price $6.19

Men's Fancy Dress Shirts. The regular 75c kind. Will be sold under the hammer price 34c

Men's Work Shirts, the best 50c shirt that you can buy. Will be sold under the hammer price.. 39c

Ladies' and Men's Silk and Wool Umbrellas. The regular $2.50 kind. This is a big snap. Will be sold under the hammer price 89c

Boys' Suits, all sizes, all kinds. The best suit, in all the leading stores at $3.50. Will be sold under the hammer. Price $1.48

Men's Pants, the regular $2.00 kind and cheap at that price. Will be sold under the hammer. Price 79c

Men's Fleece Heavy Winter Underwear. The regular 75c kind. Dr. Wowsky. You'll never have the chance again. Will be sold under the hammer. Price..... 33c

Men's Union Suits in Balbriggan. The kind you pay $1.50. To be sold under the hammer. Price.. 74c

Men's Very Fine Fancy Dress Shirts. The regular $1.50 kind Cheap at that price. Will be sold under the hammer. Price.. 69c

Men's Very Fine Dress Hose. The very best 35c Hose. Will be sold under the hammer. Price.. 14c

Men's Very Fine Neckties. The very latest styles, sold all over at 50c. Will be sold under the hammer. Price 17c

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What the Administration has Done

DURING THE TWENTY MONTHS IT HAS BEEN IN CHARGE OF THE CITY, THE PRESENT DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATION HAS DONE MORE TO IMPROVE AND BETTER THE CITY THAN HAS EVER BEEN DONE BY ANOTHER ADMINISTRATION.

HERE ARE SOME OF THE THINGS IT HAS DONE:

ERECTED A FLOOD WALL AND COMPLETED THE SYSTEM OF HIGH WATER DEFENSE.

LAID OVER SIX MILES OF PAVED STREETS AND PASSED THE NECESSARY LEGISLATION FOR HALF AS MUCH MORE.

BUILT ALMOST THREE MILES OF STORM SEWERS.

CONSTRUCTED TWO AND A HALF MILES OF SANITARY SEWERS.

SECURED ELECTRIC STREET LIGHT AT ABOUT HALF THE COST THEREOF IN FORMER YEARS, AND LARGE REDUCTION IN COMMERCIAL LIGHTS.

GIVEN THE STREETS AND ALLEYS THE FIRST THOROUGH CLEANING THEY HAVE HAD IN YEARS AND KEPT THEM IN SUCH ORDER SINCE THAT PORTSMOUTH IS NOW REGARDED AS THE CLEANEST CITY IN THE STATE INSTEAD OF THE DIRTIEST.

INDUCED THE LAYING OF BLOCK AFTER BLOCK OF CONCRETE SIDEWALKS.

PUT UP DRINKING FOUNTAINS AT SEVERAL OF THE BUSIEST PLACES, ONE OF THE GREATEST NEEDS THE TOWN EVER HAD MET.

TAKEN THE WATER WORKS PLANT, DILAPIDATED AND SHATTERED TO NEAR A COMPLETE BREAK DOWN AND RESTORED IT TO GOOD PHYSICAL CONDITION.

PROVIDED FOR THE ERECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF A HILL TOP FIRE ENGINE HOUSE.

ACCOUNTED CORRECTLY AND LEGALLY, ACCORDING TO THE REPORT OF THE REPUBLICAN STATE EXAMINERS FOR EVERY CENT AS LEGALLY SPENT, OR ON DEPOSIT, THE ONLY CITY SO FAR AS KNOWN WITHOUT IRREGULARITIES OR WORSE IN FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

COMPLETED, AFTER YEARS OF AGITATION PLANS FOR A NEW WATER SUPPLY AND HAVE EVERYTHING READY TO BEGIN ACTUAL WORK THEREON, JUST AS SOON AS THE LEGALITY OF THE BOND ISSUE IS DETERMINED AND THEY CAN BE SOLD.

REMEMBER EVERY DOLLAR SPENT ON PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS WENT TO HOME CONTRACTORS, DISTRIBUTING MANY THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS TO HOME LABOR WHEN IT MOST NEEDED IT, SUPPLYING FOOD AND CLOTHING TO HUNDREDS AND KEEPING THE MONEY IN CIRCULATION WHERE IT WOULD DO THE MOST GOOD.

STUDY THE RECORD.

In another place we print under the head "What the Administration Has Done," a brief statement of some of the things work accomplished by the present city government.

We ask every citizen generally and every voter particularly to study this record. We want him to do for two reasons: First, to see if the pledges made have been honestly kept, and second to determine if the work done is worthy of approval and continuance.

Two years ago, when the fiercest and the most spectacular campaign Portsmouth has ever known was raging. The Times on behalf of the Democratic candidates, promised, if elected, they would give the city the best and most progressive administration it ever had and their rule would be free and honest, conducted according to their best judgment as to the public good, without dictation of boss or selfishness of private gain. That promise was taken in such confidence that never did an incoming administration receive a like endorsement. Not only was every candidate elected, but every ward and precinct was carried by it. We are here to say to you now in all truth, that in the first instance that pledge has been faithfully kept. No matter what may be said to the contrary, never was an administration so absolutely unbossed. No political master dictated its course, nor attempted to. No outside or ulterior influences controlled its course. Whatever it did was done of its own motion and on its own judgment, and we can testify never did another public body so zealously and energetically devote its time and talent to the public service, and we think, none with more success. The great pride we have in civic work is that we played a part, however humble it may have been, in the election of such an administration and that it has so fully and nobly met our expectations at least.

It is then left for the voter to determine if he wants such an administration continued. To reach determination properly he should consider several things. Most important of all is that Portsmouth has been growing, she is growing and she is going to grow. As rapidly as she has advanced and as important as she has become, we are all confident these are no more than a circumstance to what she is hurrying to. Every factory in town is prospering, the railroad terminals and shops are but a patch to what they will be in less than five years and in less than two the steel mills will be the biggest industry we have, while others are yet to come. This means we will soon be a city, in fact as well as in name, it means we must measure up to the requirements of a city, that we have got to have an administration that will keep ever step with progress and be its strong companion. Look back over the records of the past and you will find light and guidance there. Never was there a gang administration, that rose equal to opportunity, never a one that stood bold and out in the open for the public welfare as against the wish of the party boss, never a one that was for Portsmouth and progress first and other things after. Why a Democratic administration, laid the first paved street, constructed the first sanitary sewer, began the first plan of flood defenses and completed the latter to the great length it has progressed. Though Democratic administrations have ruled in the last quarter of a century only one year where the gang misruled three, four-fifths of the street paving and about nine-tenths of the sewering and sidewalk concreting have been done under Democratic administration. It is the gang solely and alone that raised the hue and cry that street paving would bankrupt the city and yet know there is not today a property owner who would have the paving in front of his property torn up for twice what it cost him to lay. Paving has added immeasurably to the value of realty and the appearance of the town.

But above all do not forget that it was on the order of the gang, that on the night before the present administration was to come in the water works crew deserted their posts on less than twelve hours notice, and left the city, as they thought to the mercy of inexperienced and incapable men. The most cowardly thing a crew can do is to abandon their post before those in their care are made as safe as conditions will allow, but that was the deed the gang directed its minions to. They said the old rattle trap was ready to go to the scrap pile and they quit. It was the competent and faithful appointees of a Democratic administration, which took the old rattle trap and not only kept it going, but have since put it in condition where we hear no more talk about the scrap pile and they will keep it going until we have a new plant.

Now draw your own conclusion as to your duty.

WILL RECEIVE THEIR PAY

Clerk Conrad Roth of the Board of Elections, announces that his office in the Massie block will be open Tuesday evening between 7 and 8 o'clock at which time judges and clerks at the recent primary may receive their pay.

PEARY STAYS AT THE POLE 34 HRS.

Battle Harbor, Sept. 13.—From the members of the Peary expedition on the Roosevelt it is learned that Peary and the Eskimo were the only ones to reach the North Pole. Others, while members of the various parties that left Cape Columbia, were sent back one by one as Peary drew nearer daily to the goal. The Pole was reached on April 6 and Peary deposited records and hoisted an American flag. The temperature was 32 degrees below zero Fahrenheit. The pole appeared as a frozen sea. Peary stayed at the pole for 34 hours.

Kennedy Bound Over

William Kennedy, the young man against whom Burr and Minnery filed charges for giving away liquor in a dry territory, had his hearing in Squire Byron's court Monday afternoon and was bound over to court. His bond was fixed at $100, which a local prominent "dry" worker readily gave.

Bootlegger Was Arrested

Officers at the Waverly fair, Saturday, arrested Hiram Davis, a Chillicothe boot legger, who was operating boldly on the grounds. He had a suit case which had been entirely filled with bottles of whiskey. A companion succeeding in making his escape. Davis was lodged in jail to await trial before Mayor Long Monday.

Badly Hurt In Waverly

At Waverly, Timothy Sullivan, N. & W. section foreman there for many years was painfully hurt, Saturday. He was knocked down by [illegible] a passing train, which dragged him for quite a distance badly bruising him about the face and body.

Gathering the Premiums

The West End Business Men's association [illegible] West [illegible] week.

Frank [illegible] said there.

SOLICITOR GETS IN BAD

C. P. Hawley, a solicitor for Colliers Weekly, is in bad with this company and also with the local Southern Express company officials. It is claimed that he went to the express office here, and without authority, took out two sets of books consigned to District Agent E. C. Collins. These he sold for $26 and skipped town. An investigation made by Agent Collins showed that Hawley had checked his trunk to Northfolk, W. Va. The express people at once got busy and wired their Northfork agent to hold the trunk. Hawley will be given a chance to settle or stand prosecution for obtaining goods under false pretenses.

Hawley and his wife were here for about a week and boarded at a West Third street hotel. Their home is said to be in eastern Kentucky. Hawley had been working under the direction of the Cincinnati office and came here and went to work in Collins' absence. It is reported that he is in debt over $60 with the Cincinnati agency.

TRAIN WRECKER IS TAKEN TO DENVER

Detective O'Leary of Peublo, Colo., arrived at Waverly Saturday to convey George Sprouse, alias Dobyns, to that state where he is wanted for several train robberies. He escaped from the insane ward of the Colorado pen. Detective O'Leary will await another Colorado officer who had been at San Francisco, looking for the escaped prisoner. Another foreign officer now at Waverly is Deputy Sheriff Cox of Marion, Va. He has identified a colored prisoner there as Arthur Matthews, wanted in Virginia for housebreaking. Matthews was the man suspected of robbing a Greek laborer on the N. & W. of $900, but as all evidence against him is circumstantial, the authorities will turn him over to the Virginia officer.

Boys Fall From High Scaffold

Russell Monk, aged 14, was seriously hurt and two companions, Carl Gillen and "Did" Cutlip, badly shaken up by the breaking of a scaffold on which they were perched while viewing a ball game on the old West End mill lot Sunday afternoon.

Monk's nose was dislocated, and besides he was severely cut and bruised about the head and legs. He was picked up unconscious and carried to the home of his father, Hiley Monk, of West Third street, and Dr. Kline called to dress his wounds. The other boys limped from the scene of the accident. The scaffold was the one used by linemen in working on the trolley wires that circle the West End loop. It gave way without the slightest warning and precipitated the boys to the track below.

FAIR ENDS IN A BLAZE OF GLORY

Waverly's second annual fair wound up in a blaze of glory Saturday. The weather was ideal and the crowd came near equaling that of Thursday. In a financial way, the directors are over $2000 to the good and promise even better things next year.

Four races were on the card and split heats were the order of the program. In the 2:15 trot, Little Timber was put back to fourth money for bad breaking in the final heat.

The first heat of the 2:15 pace was made in 2:11 flat but the time was given out as 2:15 1-4. Following are the summaries:

2:15 Trot—Purse $300:

Lady Thorn (Haynes) Chillicothe	2 1 1 3 1
Lena G. (Flowers) Waverly	1 5 5 5 2
Reuben Reel (Squires) Greenfield	4 2 2 2 3
Little Timber (Short) Circleville	3 3 3 1 4
Bert Chimes (Finney) Portsmouth	5 4 4 4dr

2:15 Pace—Purse $300:

Clairless (Blair) Xenia	2 1 1 1
Clinton D. (Haynes) Chillicothe	1 2 3 3
Colmus J. (Valley) Waverly	3 3 1 2
Sedalia Pat (Mitchell) Xenia	4 4 2 4

Pike County Trot—Purse $[illegible]:

Baron J. (Patterson) Piketon	1 1
Mollie Belle (Graham) Waverly	2 2
Pet Dix, Waverly	3 3

Time 2:30 1-4, 2:30.

Running Mile Dash—Purse $[illegible] [illegible]Ora, first; Wagner J., second; Maxton, third. O. C. and Minnie Meter, also started.

SOCIAL NEWS

[illegible] the day, and she received many substantial birthday remembrances, including a fine diamond ring from his mother. The full list of those who surrounded the hospitable board to partake of an unusually sumptuous menu were Mrs. Peter Schropp and sons, Messrs. Frank, Albert and Russell Schropp; Mr. and Mrs. John Gerlach, daughters Mary, Christina, Katharine, Marjorie, and sons, Messrs. Frank, and Oscar; Mr. and Mrs. John Gerlach, Jr., and children, Louis and Dorothy; Mrs. Katharine Glatz and daughters, Frances, Mary and Rosa; Mr. Frank Glatz, a brother of Mrs. Schropp, all of whom thoroughly enjoyed the entire evening, especially the menu, provided by one well versed in the culinary art.

Last Saturday afternoon Miss Louise Small and Mrs. V. Guy Williams won in the doubles at the Tennis tournament at Golf club grounds. Others who played were Misses Charlotte Bannon, Gladys Evans, Lucile Harsha, Minnie Smith, Gertrude Davidson, Leona Labold, Ettalene Grice, Gertrude Jackson, Nell Turley, Katharine Newman. The singles will be played off next Saturday by four who did not finish last Saturday, Misses Bannon, Evans, Harsha, Small.

Miss Kate M. Reilly will leave soon for the East on business and pleasure trip.

"Tid-Bits"—

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"Sife" Quits The Force

Officer Charles Saufferer has resigned from the city police force of which he has been a member for the past six years.

"Sife" as he is more familiarly known, wore his uniform for the last time Sunday night and the midnight hour marked the end of his career as a guardian of the peace. He went to work early Monday morning in the shipping department at the Gilbert Grocery company's wholesale store.

Officer Saufferer's resignation came as a surprise to his closest friends who were unaware that he was contemplating this step. He has just finished a week's vacation, and was expected to resume his beat as usual. He acquainted Chief Banens with his decision and upon the advice of that official returned to duty at least for Sunday night or until someone could be temporarily appointed to succeed him.

"Sife" disliked the idea of spending another winter out doors and having received an offer of another job concluded to quit. He retires with the satisfaction of having done his duty as an officer. That he has made an efficient policeman is unquestioned. In recent years he patrolled the business district of Gallia and Chillicothe streets and was the right man in the right place.

Mayor Searcy will in all probability appoint Al Duplain to fill the vacancy created by Saufferer's resignation. Duplain will be assigned to the West End beat in which he has resided all of his life time, while Officer Grant Goings will be transferred from that section to one of the East End beats. Officer Roma Walker may get the Chillicothe street beat and Dave Galford transferred to the North End.

Mrs. Jacob Hill Dies Monday

Mrs. Mary Hill, wife of A. Jacob Hill, a well known retired farmer, passed away at their home on West Fourth street Monday morning at 9 o'clock, aged 68 years.

Mrs. Hill's death came after a lingering illness and was not unexpected although she had rallied some Saturday evening and Sunday. Se was Mary Longworth before her marriage to Mr. Hill in December 25, 1857, and had lived in Scioto county all of her life time. Twelve children were born to them. John was killed in an accident on the Pan Handle road some years ago. Those still living are Charles W., George, Elmer G. of Dry Run, Mrs. Lydia R. Mershon, wife of Steve Mershon, Mrs. Sarah Carman, wife of Harry Carman of Columbus, Albert V. and Edward S. of this city.

Mrs. Hill was one of the oldest and most respected members of the Oldtown Methodist church from which the funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 1:30. Rev. Mr. Bright will conduct the services.

Mr. Floyd Menke was 21 years old Sunday and in honor of the event entertained the following special friends at 6 o'clock dinner at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Menke of Hutchins street.

Mr. William Dupre of the O. S. U., Ralph Streich of Otterbein University and Mr. Delmont Locke, of Westerville, who also attends Otterbein University, and then returned Monday in company with Mr. Flody Menke, who is now a senior at the above named seat of learning.

The table was beautifully appointed, including garnishment of lovely fall flowers. The fine menu left nothing for the palate to desire. Among birthday favors found at the celbrant's plate were fifty dollars in gold and a pair of gold cuff buttons for which he showed all due appreciation.

On Monday Sister Mary John, superior at Holy Redeemer school instituted a new school, St. Johns Academy, in the frame building, just one door west of the parochial school building. The number of students is already testing the capacity of the building, the former cottage home of the good sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Philo S. Clark left Sunday in their touring car for Newcastle, Pa., where they will attend the annual reunion of the Clark family. They were accompanied as far as Columbus by Mesdames William Severs and Frank Slagle who returned to Piketon on an evening train for a brief visit to friends there.

Coat.... Sweaters

For Ladies and Gentlemen

Gents' Coat Sweaters, extra heavy quality in plain gray and gray, and blue and gray and red at 50c apiece.

Gents' Wool Coat Sweaters in plain gray and gray with blue and red collar at $1.25 each.

Ladies' Coat Sweaters

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LOCAL OIL MEN GET GOOD NEWS

The flattering news was received here Monday by local stockholders of the Clintonian Gas and Oil company of the successful shooting of a well near Lexington, O. The Wilson well was shot and showed a 95 barrel capacity for the first 24 hours while its permanent capacity seem certain to be 75 barrels. Other wells, too, were shot but it has not as yet been possible to demonstrate just what their capacity will be. H. S. Grimes and P. H. Harsha are among the local stockholders. J. W. McCord, of Columbus, is the secretary and treasurer of the company.

Horse Broke His Leg

Colonel W., the sorrel pacer owned by J. B. Willum of Vanceburg, had a leg broken just as he had scored for the first time at Waverly Saturday. Willum had just recently refused $900 for the animal.

Dive From Cabin.

Diving from the cabin roof of the C. & O. ferryboat Chesapeake was a favorite pastime of young men swimming along the wharf Sunday afternoon.

Paw-paws are ripening fast and many Portsmouth people who spent Sunday in the rural districts came home loaded down with the fruit.

Boy Strayed Away.

Wyans Reeder, a sixteen-year-old boy, of New Sixth street, was reported missing Sunday night. Police were notified.

Stop That Tick....

Streich's Bronchial Pastilles.

Stop those Chaps! Streich's Marigold Cream.

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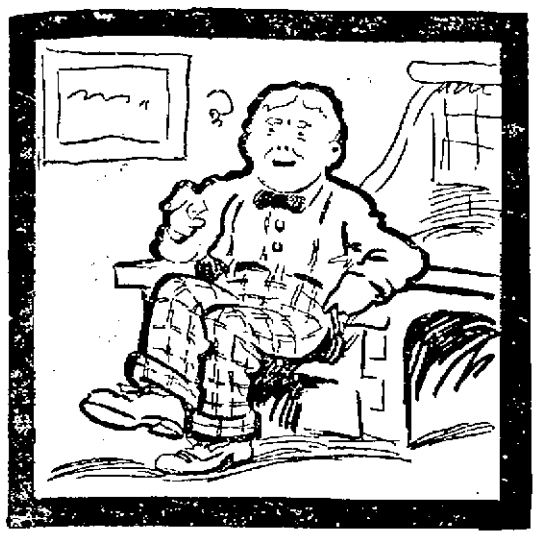

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WANTED—Experienced girl for general house work at once. No washing or ironing, good wages. 56 East Second St. 13-tf

WANTED—Porter, apply at the Hess Clothing Co. 11

WANTED—Two plasterers to work on East Second. Only first class workmen need apply. See Theo. Williams, 105½ East Eleventh. 13-2

WANTED—Experienced girl at good wages, no laundry. Apply at once, 75 West Fourth. 11-3

WANTED—The people to know that I cure catarrh, stomach, ear and throat diseases. Dr. T. B. Park, 1012 Clay. June 26-mon-sat-tf

WANTED—Laundress at Hempstead hospital at once. 10-3

WANTED—A girl for general house work, 309 Waller. 7-6

WANTED—Horses to winter, family horses preferred. Best of care given. Apply 112 West Second. Home phone 9. 8-12

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WANTED—Good girl for general house work, 31 West Third. 13-3

WANTED—Work as errand boy. Past 14 years of age. 1321 Findlay street. 13-3

WANTED—Good strong colored girl to assist with general house work. Wages $2.50 per week. Call immediately at 811 Murray street. 13-2

WANTED—Boarders, 23 West Third. 11-7

WANTED—Young men to learn automobile business by mail and prepare for positions as chauffeurs and repair men. We make you expert in ten weeks; assist you to secure position. Pay big work pleasant; demand for men great; reasonable; write for particulars and sample lesson. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y. 11-f

WANTED—A girl for general house work. Mrs. J. J. Brushart, 423 Waller street. 11-3

WANTED—Good girl to wash dishes at Grimes hotel. Apply at kitchen. 11-3

WANTED—Traveler, $15 per week and expenses. Address Traveler, care Times. 10-3

WANTED—Dressmaking. Make a specialty of Ladies' Tailored Suits. Miss Emma Wiehle, 74 East Seventh St. 10-30

WANTED—Boarders at 710 John. Bath room. 10-3

WANTED—A girl for general house work. Good wages. Call at 807 John street. 9-tf

NOTICE—Men learn barber trade now complete for $10. We furnish Saturday wages, best tools and positions. Send for catalogue. Leader Barber College, 234 Broadway, Cincinnati. 4-10

WANTED—A girl, 15 East Sixth street. 11-tf

WANTED—To rent 5 or 6 room house with bath, between Lincoln and Young street or Tenth and Grant. Phone B 1149. 10-3

WANTED—Girl at 160 East Second street. 10-tf

WANTED—To buy first class driving horse. See T. J. Jewett 10-tf

MALE HELP WANTED.

$12.50 BUYS $105.00 worth goods free advertising to sell them and starts you as manager for big Chicago mail order house. $60 expense allowance first month. Address President, 1200 State street, Chicago. 10-6

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Bicycle, a bargain 1226 Franklin avenue. 11-tf

FOR SALE—Bay mare with black mane and tail. 8 years old, weight 1100. A. M. Winkler, Wheelersburg, O. 11-3

FOR SALE—Good number one barrels for Kraut, molasses, etc. See Adam Pfau, 97 East Eleventh street. 11-3

FOR SALE—Or trade, 43 acres farm with 10 acres plowed for wheat with good barn and fair house. George A. Bell, Wheelersburg, O. 11-2-S1W1

FOR SALE—Horse and phaeton The Anderson Bros. Co. 10-3d-W2t

FOR SALE—Lace and embroidery 10 o'clock Saturday morning at 1108 Lawson street. Mrs. B. V. Cyrus. 10-3

FOR SALE—Or trade, house and lot in New Boston. 26 Rhodes avenue. 7-6

FOR SALE—One hundred acres good land near Wheelersburg. Bargain. Address A. S. Duduit Wheelersburg or Merle Duduit, Portsmouth. 13-tf

FOR SALE—Good farm of 110 acres located one mile from Wheelersburg on pike. Everything in first class condition house, barn and all necessary outbuildings. Price $5000. If you are looking for a farm it will pay you to investigate. J. E. Shump, Home phone A 672, 1446 Grandview avenue. 13-5

FOR SALE—Good 4 room cottage on East Seventh street, has water, gas, cellar and cistern. A burgain at $1200. First class 4 room cottage on hill, nicely located. Price $1600. Modern 6 room two story house on East Twelfth street, has water, gas, bath, cellar and cistern, large lot. Price $2700. Terms to suit purchaser. J. E. Shump, Home phone A 672. 1446 Grandview avenue. 13-5t

FOR SALE—Economy fruit jars and standard cans at reduced prices. Standard cans now 31c per dozen. Economy fruit jars, quarts at 85c, and pints 75c per dozen. A bargain at Cropper's Grocery, Eleventh and Waller streets. 9-10

FOR SALE—Two new six room houses with bath on the hill. Sold on easy payments. Call H. A. Bierley, Phone A 1149. 9-6

FOR SALE—Stereotypo mats, better than paper for putting under carpets. Times office. tf

FOR SALE—Left with me by manufacturer, new Baby Grand Piano. Best make. Mahogany case. Must be seen and heard to be appreciated. At Manufacturers' price. Can be seen at my residence No. 28 East Eighth street. J. P. Purdum, Six Bldg.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms for light house keeping at 419 Sinton. 11-3

FOR RENT—6 room house newly papered and painted. Porches and cement walk front and back gas, cistern and sink, 6 closets $14.00 per month. 308 East Third street. Inquire John Rottinghaus, or 302 East Third street. 11-3

NOTICE.

Wanted to loan money on Watches, Diamonds, Pianos, also Singer Sewing Machines. Open every day from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Also just received a nice new line of trunks and suit cases to be sold at wholesale prices at JOS. REISNER, 703 Chillicothe Street.

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Colonel Marting Talks On Times

Colonel H. A. Marting, president of the Marting Iron and Steel company, of Ironton, and interested in many other Ironton industries, was in Columbus yesterday looking over the local situation, says the Journal. Mr. Marting formerly was president of the Columbus Iron and Steel company, but sold his interests in that enterprise to Colonel Battelle, now head of the big local corporation.

In speaking of the outlook in the iron and steel industry, Colonel Marting said that it is full of promise and that he looked for the most prosperous year in the history of the industry. In the Hanging Rock Region all of the furnaces are in operation and the manufacturers of finished products are having difficulty in filling orders. All allied lines in that district are flourishing and Ironton expects to see one of the biggest years in her industrial history during the coming 12 months.

Rev. W. H. Howard Returns To City

Rev. W. H. Howard, pastor of the United Brethren church, was returned to this charge by the Southeastern Ohio conference, which closed its annual session at Circleville Sunday. Rev. J. H. Harris, former local pastor is also returned to Hillsboro, but the name of Rev. J. E. Comer, who was this year at Circleville does not appear in the list of assignments published Monday. It is presumed he has been transferred to another conference.

These neighboring churches all get new pastors: Ironton, G. P. Badgley; Jackson, A. A. Chapman; Circleville, J. W. Willis.

FOR RENT—The Wilhelmette hall is now ready for rent for dancing or other public entertainments. This is undoubtedly the best dance hall in the city. For terms see C. S. Miller, Turley building. 11-6

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Gentleman and wife or lady preferred. 144 East Second. 11-3

FOR RENT—Furnished room at 112 East Third. 11-6

FOR RENT—Store room with three living rooms in the rear. See Adam Pfau, 97 East Eleventh street. 10-3

FOR RENT—Three rooms with gas. $7.00 per month. Edward Doerr, 1401 Findlay St. 10-3

FOR RENT—One furnished room for light house keeping. All conveniences, 78 Gallia. 7-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 25 East Front. 1-12

FOR RENT—One of the most beautiful and modern flats in the city in the Wilhelmette will be for rent after Aug. 22. Call Cecil S. Miller, Turley Building. 14-tf

FOR RENT—Rooms in Elk building. Call on Cecil Miller, Room 28 Turley Bldg. 14-tf

LOST

LOST—Purse Saturday night between Marting's store and Ninth and Gay streets, containing $5 and some small change. And also on Sunday night a gold siguet hat pin. Finders will please return to 82 West Sixth street for reward. 13-3

DISASTER AVERTED.

By calling on me and having your property insured before the fire occurs. It costs but a trifle when compared to losing the earnings of a life time by fire. Office over The Central National Bank. Entrance No. 15 Gallia street. Office open day and night. Home phone No. 668. Bell No. 395 W. J. W. INMAN.

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FINE NEW BARBER SHOP in the Haley Building. New furnishings, good barbers, the best of service. 7-tf

STORAGE — Buggies stored, bought and sold on commission. Bring your buggies, no charge if not sold. 74 West Third St. Thomas B. Nichols. 2-tf

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FIGHT SUNDAY AT KOOLKONEY

John Sheppard, a Fullerton storekeeper, and Bob Stewart, of Grayson, Ky., had an altercation that resulted in them mixing it up with a great deal of damage to both and particular glory to neither at Coney Island Sunday. Neither was badly hurt.

Miss Alice Perry a school mistress, was hit by a batted ball while entering the ball grounds and was rendered unconscious. It is said another young lady fainted in the grand stand at the ball park and had to be carried off the grounds.

Fined For Being Drunk

Homer Campbell, of this city, employed by Kaps Bros., and Samuel Conwell, of Scioto Furnace, both drew fines in Mayor Morgan's court at New Boston Sunday on charge of being intoxicated. They paid up and were released.

To Name Committee

The Democratic nominees chosen at the recent primary election will meet tonight to select a campaign committee.

SUICIDE MAN LAID TO REST

The funeral of Judson McDaniel, who ended his life in a rain barrel, took place on Duck Run Monday morning. Rev. Mr. Murphy, of Rushtown officiated. McDaniel's oldest son, aged 16, is an unusually bright boy and passed the recent teachers' examination, but owing to his tender years was refused a certificate. An effort may now be made to have one granted to him so that he may help support the family which is in reduced circumstances.

Experience of Peacemaker

Wayne S. Dodge, a B. & O. S. W. engine hostler, came near experiencing the usual treatment of a peace maker Sunday. Wayne was attracted by a commotion in a Fourteenth street home. He heard a woman's screams and rushed to the house in time to find a shoeworker named Hoover beating his wife. Hoover turned on Dodge and chased him from the yard, but Wayne stood his ground after reaching the level road and Hoover did not dare come a foot further.

Many laughs at the Majestic tonight.

DR. ELDER HAS ACCEPTED CALL

A scene that was most unusual in its impressiveness took place at the close of the morning service at the First Presbyterian church, Sunday, when its beloved pastor, Dr. J. F. Elder, made known his decision to accept the unanimous call recently extended him to the fine new First Avenue church at Denver, Colorado. Both minister and congregation were deeply affected at the thought of severing their cordial relations and the announcement found most of those present in tears.

A week before, Dr. Elder had laid all circumstances of the call before his people and then told them he would need another week of prayerful consideration of the matter before arriving at a conclusion. While there were faint hopes with some that the way would open whereby Dr. Elder could be retained at First church, nearly every one realized that this was a thing hardly to be looked for. The wider field and its opportunities would seem to make imperative the call.

Dr. Elder expresses it as indeed gratifying to him that, while the farewells are reluctant, his friends both inside and out of the congregation, have only Godspeeds for him in his new field. In all his ministry, he says he has never found a more congenial community in which to labor. His friends however take the sensible view that for him this is an opportunity of a life time.

The First Avenue church at Denver is the second largest in that city and with the Grant Avenue Methodist church has a field in the best residential section of that city. It was only dedicated last November and already has a membership of over 650. Aside from the unanimous call from its people, Dr. Elder has already received a cordial letter of welcome from Dr. Cuyler, the gifted pastor of the largest Presbyterian church of Denver. Another letter he received from Rev. Hilko De Beer, formerly of the local German Presbyterian church, who was until lately located in Denver. He assures Dr. Elder that it is one of the most desirable fields that could be imagined.

It now develops that Dr. Elder was under consideration for this charge long before he went to the National Assembly meeting at Denver. No less than three different friends had recommended him to the pulpit committee, and it was by special design that he was assigned to that service at the Grand Avenue Methodist church while the Assembly was in progress. Unknown to him, the committee sat in his audience, and during the following week the whole committee of fifteen had him summoned from the Assembly sessions to an ante room where the call was extended him. They were insistent that he remain and preach again, but he determined to put them off in order to get home at once and make his report as commissioner to Portsmouth Presbytery. A committee of three then came to Portsmouth and arranged for Dr. Elder's second trip at the earliest possible date. It was then that he so completely won over the congregation that he got its unanimous call.

Dr. Elder came to Portsmouth from Ada in February, 1906, and has been a tower of strength to local religious affairs during his stay here. His going will be a distinct loss as it is safe to assert that no abler pastor has been located here within a generation. This city's loss will indeed be Denver's gain. According to present plans Dr. Elder will continue to officiate here until Sunday, September 26, and will preach his farewell sermon on the evening of that date. After that date, Dr. Elder with his wife and two interesting boys will visit for several weeks at Steubenville and Canton and then go to their western home about the last of October.

There remains yet several formal matters to be done in the matter of dissolving the pastoral relation. The church will hold its congregational meeting for this purpose Wednesday evening and the following week at the fall meeting of Presbytery at Eckmansville similar action will be taken.

STATE BANKS HOLD MEET

Chicago, Sept. 13.—The annual convention of the National Association of Supervisors of State Banks was held today. Pierre Jay, president of the association, delivered an annual address.

SOCIAL NEWS

Mrs. Maynard Matz of Homestead, Pa., formerly of this city, is renewing old acquaintances. Mrs. Matz has been in Guthrie, Oklahoma, visiting her mother.

Mrs. J. S. Baker of Wheelersburg spent Sunday in Cincinnati at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Henry Hang who is regarded as hopelessly ill.

Mrs. J. J. Davidson is at home from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Charles Gould of Sheridan, where she went to attend the funeral of Dr. E. P. Gould.

The Misses Hobstetter returned Sunday evening from Wheelersburg, where they visited some friends.

Mrs. Calhoun paid her regular week-end visit to Wheelersburg.

Miss Clara Milstead is at home from Columbus where she went to see her sick sister, Mrs. Williams who is reported as better.

The Bachelor Girls club went into camp for a week Saturday at Camp View on Tygart creek. Following are the young ladies who are doing camp life: Helen Nepers, Rose Bishop, Clara Phillips, Leonie Schroth, Mabel Rockhold, Mabel Belvin, Flora Rhiel, Hattie Rhiel.

Goes To College.

Miss Mary Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Anderson, left Monday morning for Athens, where she will enter college for the winter.

Now Some Hope.

Mrs. Jacob Hill of West Fourth street, whose life was despaired of Saturday rallied towards evening and continued slightly improving Sunday.

Makes Trip In Auto.

Dr. E. C. Jackson made his first long trip in his new touring car Sunday leaving at 9 a. m. for Jackson with his family. They returned safely Sunday evening, the machine performing perfectly on the trip.

Mr. F. L. Marting has returned from Cleveland where he attended German M. E. conference, from where his pastor, Rev. Otto Giesen, will return next week.

County W. C. T. U. will convene Tuesday, September 14th, at Free Baptist church, corner of Hutchins and Robinson avenue, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon. All local superintendents are urged to have reports ready for the county superintendent. Everybody is invited, most cordially.

Mr. George Lauter and family and sister, Miss Mary, have returned from a pleasant visit to relatives in Cincinnati and Maysville.

About twenty young men and lady friends of this city were delightfully entertained by the Misses Sarah and Mary O'Conner at the old Walsh home, near Otway, Sunday. Out-of-door games preceded a toothsome picnic spread, furnished by the hospitable hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kelly left Saturday for Portsmouth where they will act as sponsers for the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Flannigan, says the Irontonian. The litt'e boy will be christened Ralph Patrick Flannigan, who is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Neugent. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly will return home this evening.

Bring your daughters, wives, mothers, sweethearts to the Majestic—Always a clean show.

JUDGE LOVETT TO SUCCEED HARRIMAN

New York, Sept. 13.—William Rockefeller and Jacob H. Schiff were elected directors of the Union Pacific Railroad company to succeed Henry H. Rogers and E. H. Harriman. They were also appointed members of the executive committee. The board of directors elected ex-Judge Robert S. Lovett as chairman of the executive committee to succeed Harriman.

Matter of electing a president of the Union Pacific system was not discussed at the meeting.

Dr. Nye Spent Sunday Here

Dr. George Nye and family of Waverly, came down in their auto Sunday accompanied by his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus W. Dolph of Colorado. They spent the day as guests of Landlord and Mrs. David Tipton of the Biggs. Dr. Nye and Mrs. Tilton are cousins.

Will Move Here.

Josiah Jeffords of the West Side, whose wife died last winter, will probably sell his farm and move to the city, making his home with his brother, Ezra Jeffords of East Eighth street. He is in poor health, the result of a severe wound, received in battle in the civil war.

Always pleased at Lehman's—try them next time.

Two New Crews.

Two extra engines with train crews went north on the N. & W. this morning. They are to join the double tracking force near Higby's.

Don't overlook the Majestic—Matinees daily, 3 p. m.

New Stock

of fine Polished Cast Iron Wagner Ware, direct from the factory. We ask the ladies to inspect. Sales will surely follow. We have this ware in the following: Regular Skillets, No. 7, 8 and 9; Handled and Bailed Griddles; Dutch Ovens No. 8 and 9; Regular Kettles, No. 7 and 8; Flat Bottom Kettles No. 7, 8 and 9; New Oval Roasters No. 3.

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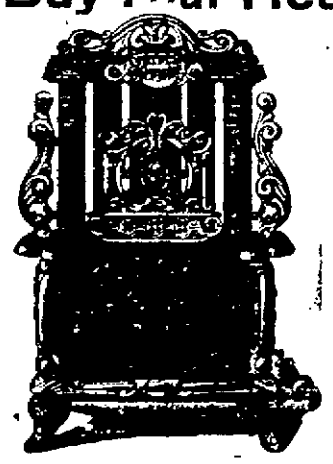

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GOOD DEACON PHILO DELIVERED GOODS

In Sunday's Enquirer, that paper's political expert, James W. Faulkner of Columbus, devoted considerable space to a review of the workings of the new primary law. His opinion is that the law is a success, from the fact that most of the bosses of the state are against it. Incidentally, he devotes a paragraph to the results in the Tenth district county. He writes:

"The new Republican organization in the Tenth district had the hardest kind of luck in the municipal nominations. The only one to save his soul from the burning was Deacon Philo Clark of Portsmouth. In Ironton, Gallipolis, Waverly, Jackson and West Union the demons of the opposition triumphed. Right Hon. Edward Jones had extreme misfortune at home in Jackson, even though state central committeeman. He got former Prosecuting Attorney Fred Delay, through soft talk and blandishments, to forsake the Orin B. Gould bunch and run for mayor. Fred ran, but a coal miner, named Rogers or Roberts or something, fairly beat the socks off him. Philo had quite a time with Former Congressman Harry Bannon, but came through with 120 majority for his man for mayor and gobbled the rest of the ticket worth having. Bannon certainly compelled the good Mr. Clark to let out every notch on the throttle of the machine but it appears that there was plenty of steam in the boiler when the lever was pulled. Had it not been for this victory the other side would have made a clean sweep of the district. Wherefore, all hail to the good deacon, who always delivers the goods."

"Red Mill" At The Grand on Tuesday

"The Red Mill" a splendid musical comedy of 60 people with two 50-ft. baggage cars of scenery and equipment, will be presented at the Grand tomorrow night for the first time in this city. This great show should pack the Grand to the doors as it is one of the best and largest musical shows that has been to the Grand for several seasons. The play is full of pretty musical numbers and songs are of the catchy order. Plenty of comedy and a swell beauty chorus that can sing. Don't miss "The Red Mill" at the Grand tomorrow night or you will regret it. Seats now on sale.

Kills Would-Be Slayer.

A merciless murderer is Appendicitis with many victims. But Dr. King's New Life Pills kill it by prevention. They gently stimulate stomach, liver and bowels, preventing that clogging that invites appendicitis, curing also Constipation, Biliousness, Chills, Malaria, Headache and Indigestion. 25c at The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

A GREAT SHOW AT MAJESTIC

Direct from the Chicago booking office of the William Morris company, there arrived Monday another big feature act for the Majestic's first half of the present week making four acts in all on the bill, aside from the illustrated song and the 1000 feet of moving pictures. The latest arrival is David Livingston and company of three people presenting the exciting comedy playlet entitled "The Cattle Thief." Others on the bill will be Trinarco and Carillo, Italian street singers; Hardie Langlon, comedienne and Doc Rice, the merry minstrel man.

The Majestic management announces that hereafter split weeks will be uniformly the rule at this house. Beginning on Mondays and Thursdays entire new bills of two single and two double acts will be played at this house.

Hicks' Capudine Cures Sick Headache.

Also Nervous Headache, Travelers' Headache and aches from Grip, Stomach Troubles or Female Troubles. Try Capudine.—It's liquid—effects immediately. Sold by druggists.

Joe Says He's The Champion

Joe Switalski claims to be the champion bass fisherman in this section. He caught 18 Labor day and 13 the next day. He uses pole and line and wouldn't give a cent for any other fish than bass.

Twelfth Street Dug Up.

Twelfth street is dug up for paving purposes from Offnere street to the N. & W. railway track. The upper end is about ready for the gravel.

Here From Georgia.

J. S. Morten, a Macon, Georgia, timber man, who recently purchased C. H. Griswold's Chillicothe street grocery, arrived in the city Monday.

Sailor Boy Writes Home

Miss Esther Whitman of 211 East Ninth street, has received a letter from her brother, Walter, who is serving on board the United States battleship North Carolina, stationed at Provincetown, Cape Cod, when the letter was written. The letter is boyish and enthusiastic of the regular St. Nicholas. Frank Stockton brand. He tells about gun practice and how the entire ship was shocked the first time the great guns went off. He praises his captain and his lieutenant and boylike says they are just about the best that ever happened. Both were in the Spanish-American war, and the lieutenant, whose name is Blue, is the man who went into Manila bay as a spy and found out how many ships the Spaniards had. The captain's name is Marshall and he is gray headed. He tells about being in the Mediterranean and says he don't enjoy the foreigners coming aboard the ship because he can't talk to them. He speaks of a little American girl coming on board and selling flowers to the crew. Her parents had been killed by the Turks. The family was left destitute and the American blue jackets took up a collection for them. He closes by requesting his sister to have the Times sent to him. Something in that boy. Any sailor boy who desires the Times is in a fair way to become an admiral, and here's hoping he will be one.

W. B. TOMLINSON IN LINE FOR EARLDOM

It is not generally known that W. B. Tomlinson of the Blade staff, is in line for an earldom, or a dukedom, or something like that, in England. He is the oldest living male heir to the estate and titles of the Tedhunter family in England, the last male Tedhunter having been a nobleman. There are plenty of people, in this country and England, willing and anxious to assist him in obtaining his title and estates. 'Bill,' however is not enthusiastic in the matter and is fearful of falling into the clutches of the professional title hunters, which do much abound in all countries. In that case, he thinks, it would cost him more than the game is worth. Mr. Tomlinson says he would like to have the estates or their money value, but strangely enough don't seem to care a picayune for the titles. Go to, Bill. Get busy and go after those titles and that usufruct Gadcooks! But the boys would like to see old Bill an English nobleman. "Sir William Tomlinson." "Lord William," or the "Marquis of Millbrook" wouldn't sound half bad. Then think of being a member of the House of Lords! Zounds! What a [illegible]

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GOOD WOMAN PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Sarah Breyton Lewis, a highly respected resident of this city, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jane Holt, 153 East Front street, early Sunday morning. Death was due to old age, she being in her 89th year.

Mrs. Lewis was the widow of David Lewis, who died 35 years ago. She was born in Virginia on the 28th day of November, 1820, and was the daughter of William and Elizabeth McGraw, pioneers of that state. Several years ago, she came to this city to reside, making her home with her daughter and gaining a wide circle of friends, who held her in high esteem for her many womanly virtues.

Surviving children of the departed woman are Mrs. Jane Holt, Mrs. Robert Cooper and Mrs. Randel Smith.

About 14 years ago Mrs. Lewis joined the Methodist church and has been ever since a devoted worker in its cause. The body will be taken to the Elm Tree cemetery on the West Side, for interment in Monday morning.

Admission 10c, reserved seats 15c—Majestic. You will wonder how we can do it.

Booze Man Wanted to Fight

Gilbert Wycoff, a livery stable hand, created quite a commotion near Third and Chillicothe streets Saturday evening by attacking a passer by. Wycoff had been drinking and in loud tones began exploiting some troubles while a large crowd gathered. Officer Buckley arrived on the scene in time to prevent serious trouble. Wycoff was arrested but was released several hours later with orders to appear in court Monday morning. He failed to show up and will be brought in Tuesday morning unless he reports.

Miss Louisa Lauter has returned from a visit to Miss Kate Kimmel of Chillicothe.

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THE END OF A GREAT SALE!

Friday, Sept. 17, at 5:30 p. m. the curtain will be rung down on a sale that has never been excelled in value giving. Immense stocks have been disposed of. Several thousand dollars worth of goods still remain unsold ready for the rapid selling which will mark the closing of this Greater Portsmouth.

Salvage Twelfth Semi-Annual

Take Warning! The Time Limit Has Been Set! The Sale Will End Friday, September 17 Without Fail! Drop Everything and Come!

All Men's or Youths' suits in Cassimeres and Scotches that are worth $8.00 and $10.00, will be sold during this sale at $3.45

All Men's and Youths' Suits in Worsted and Cassimere that are nicely made and worth $12.00, during this sale at .. $4.90

Men's Suits, a large assortment of patterns in the very newest style well tailored and perfect fitting and worth $15.00 sale price $5.90

Men's Suits made up in Swagger style. Others more conservative. Don't fail to see these grand bargains, worth $20.00; sale price $7.90

All Men's Suits worth $22.00 to $25.00. Magnificent Suits that are unequaled for style, tailoring and fabric. See them on display in our window. Sale price $9.90

All Pants that are worth $2.00, during this sale 98c

All Pants that are worth $3.00 and $3.50, will be sold for..... $1.69

All Pants that are worth $4.00 will go now at $1.94

All fine Worsted Pants that are fully worth $5. Sale price $2.49

The finest Pants in the house, that are worth $6 and $7. Sale price $3.39

Includes all children's Suits that are worth $5. Clean Sweep Sale price at 99c

Children's Handsome Suits, neat in design, beautiful patterns, including all Suits worth $3. Sale price $1.49

All of our $3.50 and $4.00 Children's Suits made in plain styles, go during this sale ... $1.94

Children's High grade Suits in all colors of fine Cheviots and Worsteds, made all styles worth $5.00, now $2.49

The finest children's Suits in the house, values up to $10.00. During this Clean Sweep sale... $3.99

All Soft and Stiff Hats worth $2.00. Sale price now 89c

All Fur Hats in green, Tan and Black, worth $2.50. Sale price... $1.24

The finest $3.00 and $3.50 Hats, all this season's new styles. On sale at $1.79

All Boys' 75c Wool Hats go in this sale at only 39c

A big lot of Men's Fur Alpine Hats worth $1.50 go on sale at 69c

Every pair of Men's and Ladies' Shoes and Oxfords, worth $2.50; Clean Sweep Sale price is $1.69

All Men's Shoes that are worth $3.50. Clean Sweep Sale price... $2.49

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Men's Belts, Black and Tan worth 25c and 35c Clean Sweep Sale price.. 16c

Boys' Duck Eaton Caps, worth 25c. Clean Sweep Sale price 7c

Boys' Knee Pants, worth 50c and 75c. Taped seams Clean Sweep Sale price.. 39c

Ladies' Hose, Tan and Black, worth 15c. Clean Sweep Sale price..... 7c

Children's Wash Suits, worth $2. Clean Sweep Sale price 69c

Cowboy Suits, the great wild western fad. An extra value worth $1.50. Clean Sweep Sale price 79c

Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs worth 10c. Sale Price 3c

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TO DIE IN CHAIR ON JANUARY 7

Death in the electric chair on January 7 was the sentence metted out by Judge Corn at Ironton Saturday to Charles Davis, colored who brutally murdered Ella Welch, 14, colored, after an assault in the presence of the child's mother. Davis took the sentence without sign of emotion. The court failed to allow the required time limit between sentence and execution. After adjournment court was reconvened and the prisoner again arraigned and sentenced to die January 7, 1910.

In sentencing the prisoner, Judge Corn spoke in part as follows:

"Charles Davis, you may stand. You have been indicted by a grand jury of this county for the crime of murder in the first degree, and after what this court considers a fair and impartial trial a jury of twelve men of this county have found you guilty of murder in the first degree, as charged in the indictment:

"Have you anything to say why judgment should not be pronounced against you?"

"Yes, sir," replied Davis. "I think I ought to have a new trial because they didn't let me tell all I knew on the witness stand."

Continuing the court said:

"I had hoped that I would never be called upon to pronounce the sentence of death upon a human being," continued the judge. "I would gladly be relieved of that duty now if it were possible and if I had the slightest doubt of your guilt, or of your mental responsibility, or if I felt that in any particular instance in the slightest way your rights had not been preserved in a fair and impartial trial, I would set the verdict aside and award you another chance.

"You have committed a most heinous crime, violated the laws of God and man; you have added, in the opinion of the court, to the crime of murder the crime of perjury also; the court believes that before you committed murder, you committed rape upon your victim; your soul is seared over with awful sins, and I do earnestly recommend that from now until the date of your execution, you go before the Most High God in supplication and prayer, confess your sins to Him that He may forgive the awful sins you have so grievously committed, and I hope that in so doing you may find peace and rest to your soul. May God have mercy upon your soul."

"It is considered and adjudged by the court that the defendant, Chas. Davis, be taken hence to the jail of Lawrence county and within the next thirty days the sheriff of Lawrence county, in as private and secure a manner as possible, convey the said Chas. Davis to the Ohio penitentiary at Columbus, and deliver him to the warden of said penitentiary and that he be there safely kept until the 7th day of January, 1910, on which day between the hours of 12 m. and sunrise within an inclosure inside the walls of said penitentiary, prepared for that purpose according to law, the said defendant shall be electrocuted by the warden of the Ohio penitentiary, or in case of his death, absence, or inability, by the deputy-warden of said penitentiary, that said warden or duly authorized deputy shall cause to pass through the body of said defendant, Chas. Davis a current of electricity of sufficient intensity to cause death and that the application of such current of electricity be continued by said warden of said penitentiary or his deputy as aforesaid until the said defendant, Charles Davis, is dead."

A death-like stillness was over the court room as the death sentence was being pronounced, there being no tears of relatives or friends to break the quietude, as is usually done in such instances.

None there were to express sorrow that the brutal murderer of the poor defenseless child, should meet the fate that he so justly deserves. His crime was a most dastardly one and 'tis well that he pay the penalty prescribed by law.

After Davis had heard his sentence pronounced he calmly held out his wrists for the handcuffs and then steadily walked to the jail under the guard of Sheriff Neal and Deputy Sloan.

On his way to jail he had but little to say, simply remarking that he was innocent and that Jesus Christ would not allow him to be killed.

When placed behind the bars he asked for some tobacco and matches and when these were handed him by the sheriff he sat down and placed his head upon his hands and said "Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy," as the tears flowed down his cheeks, the first signs of emotion that he has shown since he committed his dastardly deed.

His new demeanor was short lived for he was soon talking with his cellmate Dave Taylor in his usual unconcerned manner.—Irontonian.

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Peerless Suits Him

Ewing Davis who has been here this week mingling among his old friends returned to Cincinnati Saturday. Ewing says the old town is greatly improving even if it is too dry to suit him.

Any Color, So It's Red.

The Johnson flats on West Second street are being painted a bright red. The house has been rebuilt interiorly and is now strictly modern.

To Remain Here.

Mrs. Harry Kaufman, widow of the late merchant tailor, is as yet undecided as to her future plans but expects to remain in Portsmouth for the present.

Fall shoes on display at Lehman's.

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Bohemians Have Nice Quarters

Citizens in attendance at the Democratic rally in the East End Friday evening were amazed at the magnitude and the fine appointments of the Bohemian club's fine hall, in which this meeting was held. It is located upon the second floor of the massive new business block just erected by the Distel brothers on Gallia street, opposite the Lawson street intersection.

This hall has a floor space of 72 by 45 feet, which makes it the second largest in the city. The Kendall block hall is the only one that is larger. At the Boneman's hall, the woodwork is of superior finish, and while the room will be available for all sorts of gathering, its hardwood floor will be the finest possible for dances.

At the head of the hall there are a half dozen fine bath rooms, for both tub and shower, with lockers for members, check rooms and all other appointments of an up-to-date club. At one end there is a raised platform with neat railing for use of the orchestra, and balconies on either side for onlookers. The Bohemian club which is strictly a social organization plans to give a number of balls in this hall during the coming winter.

Workmen are still engaged in fitting up the two fine business rooms of the lower floor. One of these will be occupied with a soft drink parlor and pool room to be conducted by Joseph Distel and the other will likely be occupied by a clothing and gent's furnishing store. The East End hub of trade is merely looking up with its many improvements. With the mammoth new Distel building, the remodeled Neary block and the Simpson block completed only a few months ago, this end of town is forging rapidly to the front and presents one of the busiest trade centers in the city.

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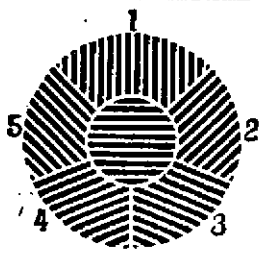

Cover the left eye and see if the lines in all sections of the above circle appear equally dark and distinct. If not, you have Astigmatism—a visual defect which should be corrected at once. Try the test with the other eye in the same manner.

To See Well See Us For Glasses

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Woodmen of World Dedicate New Hall

Sunday was a big day in Woodmen of the World circles at South Portsmouth, the occasion being the dedication of a fine new hall amid most impressive ceremonies, followed by a day's outing at Coney Island.

The debt of the hall was recently paid off and it was decided to hold the dedicatory services at once. Organizer Johnson, of Huntington, was present and lead the ceremonies. A carefully prepared speech by him showed to the members of the organization the aims and beliefs of the W. O. W., and he urged them earnestly to follow out its precepts. Attorney T. E. Nickels, a prominent young attorney of Fullerton also made a very capable address, urging his auditors to exalt the name of W. O. W., and shield it from all shadow of disrepute, the same as they would their own names. The River City band was employed and aided materially in making the dedication a success.

The afternoon was spent by the 114 members and their families of the organization at a picnic at Coney Island. Here a splendid time was had with everything possible provided by the committee in charge for the pleasure of the attendants. Two ball games were played and a concert was given by the River City band. The Woodmen of the World promises to be one of the leading fraternal organizations before long and has certainly established an enviable reputation at South Portsmouth.

CHAS JEFFORDS WINS AUTO

Charles Jeffords is the lucky boy who won the automobile given away in the prize contest at Hendure's store. Charley is the eldest son of Corney Jeffords and is employed as office boy at the Excelsior Shoe factory. He received several thousand votes and wishes to return his sincere thanks to all who supported him in the contest.

Flag Floats To Breezes

John Dimler, Tracy park caretaker, never fails to raise the flag on Saturdays. John's flag is a very handsome one of perfect regulation proportions.

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CAPT. MILSTEAD MEETS COUNTRY COUSINS AT FAIR

Captain Creed Milstead attended the Lawrence county fair at Proctorville. His chief reason for going up was to meet his old friend and Comrade of the river, Captain M. T. Scovell, of Shreveport, La., Captain Scovell and Captain Milstead worked together on Red river, on the steamer Florilla, the former as commander and the latter as pilot. Captain Milstead says they lived over the old days on Red river and worked the old stream from "bend to bend." Captain Scovell was reared in Lawrence county and went to the southern river in 1874. He spoke of another Portsmouth man who has been away from here a great many years and was almost forgotten. It was William Bishop—"Billy" Bishop, as he was known among his friends. He was formerly a clerk in the postoffice, is a brother of Mrs. Charles Hall, the contractor, and a half brother of Mrs. Ella Gable, Mrs. Wes Rickenour and Walter A. Bishop. Mr. Bishop married the daughter of a prominent southern man, but is now a widower and bridge collector at Shreveport. His parents were English people.

Tracy Miller, who is employed in a Cincinnati shoe factory, arrived home Friday for a vacation visit.

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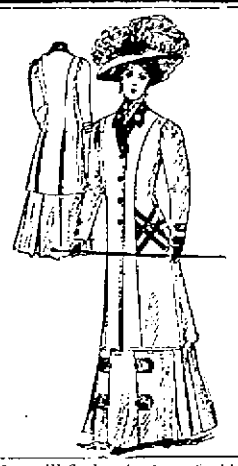

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SOCIETY

Miss Rosa Wood Aikman, aged 17, of East Front street, was married Saturday afternoon at Vanceburg, Ky., to Cecil D. Rose, 20, of Firebrick, Ky., by Rev. Edward H. Edwards. The couple expect to come to Portsmouth in a few days and will make this city their home.

Miss Virginia Ernst, of St. Louis, Mo., is a visitor at the home of Miss Mary York.

A former Portsmouth resident, Mrs. William Harding of Malad, Idaho, is guest of her sister, Mrs. Chester Abbott of Sciotoville, at the end of a ten years' absence from this section of the country.

Miss Marjorie Heid entertained the following friends in celebration of her birthday anniversary: Helen Schoettle, Ruth Kileoyn, Georgia Jacobs, Frances Knauss, Cyril Heid, Marjorie Trimmer, Katherine Claro and Alma Miller.

The occasion was a watermelon party. Games were a feature preceding refreshments.

Mr. Otto Birk will enter Wabash Seminary at Crawfordsville, Ind., this week.

Mrs. D. L. Williams and daughter, Miss Margaret, arrived home from Mackinac, Monday afternoon.

Dr. S. P. Fetter's visitor, Dr. Kale of the O. H. E., Gallipolis, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. M. J. Woodrow and Mrs. J. D. Kirtland, have returned home to Columbus at the end of a lengthy visit to relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Charles Rice was accompanied home from Columbus by her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Shumway, who will be joined by her better half, Dr. Shumway, later.

Bigelow Women's Aid Society will hold a meeting Tuesday afternoon in the chapel at the conclusion of the meeting of the W. F. M. S.

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Knowles left Saturday for Niagara Falls, N. Y., and from there went to New York City, Monday, to reside.

Mrs. Leo Somer, Mrs. Bernard Augustin and daughter Miss Salome Augustin, left Saturday for St. Martin's in Brown county, where Miss Augustin will be established at the Urseline academy as student.

Mrs. Martha Cole will leave Los Angeles, Cal., September 18 for her home in this city, at the end of more than a year's visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Duduit.

Messrs. Scott and Ben Heer and Harry Uhl left Monday for Rose Polytechnic, Terre Haute, Ind., to resume their studies.

Mr. Russell Anderson will leave next Wednesday for Delaware to resume his studies at the O. W. U.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Adams spent Saturday at the Waverly fair.

Former Portsmouth residents, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar White of Greenfield, sang duets at Manly church Sunday morning and evening, very pleasingly.

Miss Katharine Strayer, who has been visiting a college chum at Waynsboro, Va., left Monday for Staunton, Va., to resume her studies at Mary Baldwin Seminary.

Miss Esculine Lake of Jackson visited friends here recently.

The L. C. B. A. will hold a business meeting Monday evening at Holy Redeemer school hall.

Mrs. C. S. Robertson will entertain her Second Presbyterian Sunday school class of girls Monday evening at her home on North Waller street.

Mrs. Roberts and daughters of Chillicothe, are visiting Mrs. Theodore Doty.

First Presbyterian Young Women's Missionary Society will hold the fall rally Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. D. Ruggles.

Little Miss Arline Bagby of Charleston, W. Va., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bagby of this city.

The Tuesday club will hold the fall assembly the 1st Tuesday in October, at the home of Mrs. Flint Kline of West Fourth.

Miss Mary Crawford and nephew, Master Harry Merrick, who have been spending the summer at the home of Miss Crawford's mother, Mrs. George Crawford, left Monday for their home in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lawson have as guest, Miss Etta Lawson of Greenup Co., Ky.

Miss Cecil Williams of Chicago is visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Bridwell of 331 East Seventh.

Misses Lucinda and Sarah Woten of Timmonds avenue, will be hosts at Monday evening's meeting of the Hilltop W. C. T. U.

Trinity Epworth league will hold a literary and social session at the church Monday evening.

The following were among visitors at Hartman House, Wheelersburg, Saturday and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Val Heisel and son Mr. Elmer Heisel, Mr. and Mrs. John Brandel and son Master Ralph Brandel, Misses Alma Heinisch and Frances Bennett.

On Monday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Dillon and son Selby Dillon and Mr. Dillon's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Dillon went to Hotel Baker, Wheelersburg in the Dillon auto, to dine at Hotel Baker.

Mr. A. E. Everard left Monday morning for Columbus.

Fun and music—Majestic tonight.

Mr. Oscar Oakes of Oakland, visited here Monday.

Miss Beulah McFarland of Rome, has entered the Portsmouth business college, as one of the many students.

Misses Carrie and Merle Sowers and Gertrude Elliott returned Monday from Wheelersburg where they visited Miss Sophia Gleim, a relative of the Misses Sowers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hatton left Sunday morning for Detroit, Mich., and Canada in their touring car, expecting to be gone one week.

Mr. William Tipton of this city is one of the heirs to the Mercer estate of 63 millions, now in litigation for 53 heirs. Others in this section are his brothers and sisters as follows: Mrs. Rube Bush of Columbus, Mrs. Ella Riddlebarger of Linnwood, Mr. George Tipton and Mrs. David Bussler of Wheelersburg, Mr. James Tipton of Sciotoville. At last accounts from the lawyers the settlement will be favorable to the many heirs.

Mrs. Lydia Bergen and her daughter, Miss Anna of West Fourth, have returned from a visit to her daughters, who reside in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar F. Draper and Miss Georgia Padan spent last Saturday in a trip to Seman by rail and from there in livery rig to the famous Serpent Mound, in Adams county. On the way home they also paid a visit to Peebles. They were very enthusiastic regarding the scenery along the way, and especially with the historic old mound.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCall and daughters have as guest, Miss Etta Cole of Athens.

Miss Dollie McCall is steadily recovering from her recent surgical operation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brown of Stockdale who have been visiting their daughter Mrs. J. T. Smith, left Monday for a visit to a son, Mr. Ed. L. Brown of Cleveland, and will also visit Mr. Brown's brother, Rev. S. A. Brown at Cambridge. They will return in time to attend the Brown reunion, on September 25th at Stockdale.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Dupre went to Gallipolis last Saturday to visit relatives.

Miss Alice Duduit, nephew Alfred Duduit and niece Elizabeth Duduit, spent Sunday at Wheelersburg.

Mr. George Matthews, son Gerald and daughters Lillian and Helen, visited Wheelersburg Sunday.

Miss Lenora Allard has as visitors her cousins, Misses Laura and Florence Allard, of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelly in their bridal trip east and south sailed Saturday morning for New Orleans from New York City, according to word received by their Portsmouth relatives.

Miss Marjorie Pursell was host at a meeting of the J. F. club in farewell to members who soon will leave for college. The club adjourned indefinitely as all members but two, Misses Margaret Patterson and Marguerite Wilhelm, will be absent.

The sixth birthday anniversary of Master Douglas Knowles, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Knowles, was celebrated with a surprise party Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Lou Kelley's visitor, Miss Mary Bain, of McConnellsville, one of the Kelley-Distelrath wedding guests, returned from a visit to Miss Anna Schachleiter, of Ironton, to the Kelley home, and home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Willis' grandson, Master Tester Byers, of Dayton, Ky., has returned home to resume attendance at school.

Miss Mary Anderson left Monday for Ohio university at Athens to pursue the kindergarten training teachers' course. Her mother, Mrs. T. C. Anderson will soon pay her a visit.

Miss Margaret Klingman gave a farewell kensington to friends who will leave soon for various colleges as follows:

Misses Gertrude Schmidt, Teresa Kennedy, Grace Fry, Marjorie Pursell, Ruth Jackson, Beatrice Nave, Anna Louise Fee, Annie Anderson, Lenora Allard, Hazel Drew, Pauline Wilhelm, Stephanie Holman, Bertha Brand, Helen Gilliland, Madeline Baird, Jean Berthold and Margaret Appel. An out of town guest was Miss Lake, of Jackson, who is visiting Miss Grace Fry.

Art needlework was followed by refreshments, in the serving of which the hostess was assisted by Misses Margaret Appel and Jean Berthold.

Miss Alice Higgins and Mesdames P. M. Wolfe and R. P. Johnson have joined a house party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Higgins, of South Point.

Miss Linnie Heid, of the city's teachers, paid her usual week-end visit to her French Grant home.

Mrs. Lorin Yost and little cousin, Maurita, spent Monday in Portsmouth shopping and visiting friends.

Misses Margaret Ricker, Emma Cramer spent Saturday and Sunday at their Bear Creek farm.

See this picture—Before the Mast—Majestic tonight.

Mrs. W. Croft and daughter, Hazel have returned home from a week's visit with relatives at Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bush of Spring avenue will leave Monday for Minnesota for the benefit of Mrs. Bush's health.

Mr. C. J. Wagner has returned home from Pittsburg accompanied by his wife, who with her daughter, Miss Inez, spent the summer at the suburban home of Mr. Ed Wagner. Miss Inez will continue her visit until a later date.

Miss Ellen Brush and Mr. John Crickenberger, both of the French Grant, spent Saturday with Mr. Crickenberger's aunt, Mrs. John A. Oakes of Gallia street.

One of this city's teachers, Miss Grace Folsom, spent Sunday at her French Grant home.

Dr. R. O. Le Baron returned from Wheelersurg Monday morning.

Dr. George Marshall spent Sunday at his Wheelersburg farm home.

Looks like a big night tonight—Majestic.

THE ARCANA QUARTET

is making a big hit and this popular show house is playing to standing room every night.

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EVENING TIMES SPORTS

MIDGETS BEAT CYCLE TEAM

Wild support accorded Crichton at critical stages marred what would have been a beauty pitchers' battle at Millbrook park Sunday, and allowed the Midgets to defeat their old time rivals, the P. C. C's, by a 4 to 1 score. Two weeks ago the Cycle team, triumphed over their opponents 8 to 7, so that their series now stands one victory each, with the rubber game yet to be played.

Lotell and Crichton were the opposing pitchers and both had fine control. With perfect support on each side the score would have been 1 to 1 at the close of the regulation nine rounds and not over three hits would have been registered on a side. The score shows that the Midgets made seven hits and had two wobbles, while the P. C. C's got a total of six hits and an equal number of mieplays. Crichton set down eleven men on strikes and Lotell made eight of his opponents fan. The gifts made were three off each pitcher.

The Midgets earned their only run in the first on singles by Ross and Ricchart and Dodge's long fly to center. In the same round the P. C. C's earned upon Plummer's wild, Kountz's sacrifice, a stolen base and Adams' hit.

In the second Plummer dropped his mist ball, but Doherty, whose life was spared, went out stealing and Crichton struck out. In the other two innings, Next round Clark lost Lotell's liner in the sun and it counted for three. He scored on Adams' error. The Midgets counted again in the fifth when Baldwin's error gave Lotell a life. He pitcher sgnle and with two out came home when Plummer dropped Ross' long fly. Strickland's error resulted in the last run for the Midgets in the eighth. He threw low on Ross' bounder and singles by Ricchart and Joe Brennan put Beoty across.

The P. C. C's got men on bases in every round except the second and seventh. S. Plummer walked and stole with one gone in the third but was left. In the fourth J. Doherty singled with one down, but was forced at second. Strickland walked and stole for a starter in the fifth and Kountz singled with one down in the eighth. They, too, were left.

The closing half of the ninth threatened trouble for Lotell after two were gone. Chase batted for Crichton and got a life on Rinehart's muff, his second error of the game. Kabrar batted for Strickland and got a clean hit. Then Bruce Plummer batted for Clark and hit a sharp drive past the pitcher's box, but Beoty Ross robbed him of his nice fielding day with a good stop, and Joe Brennan, just home from Wilmington, N. C., made the final put out of the game. Buck Yeager umpired in clever style and there was no kicks on his decisions.

Next Sunday the Midgets play Ironton a return game at Millbrook. The score:

Midgets.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E.
E. Brennan, lf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Ross, 2b	4	2	1	1	5	0
Ricchart, rf	5	0	2	1	1	1
J. Brennan, 1b	2	0	2	10	0	1
Dodge, c	3	0	0	11	0	0
M. [illegible]	4	0	1	1	1	1
W. Doherty, ss	3	0	0	1	4	0
[illegible], cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Lotell, p	4	2	1	1	2	0
Totals	35	4	7	27	13	3

P. C. C.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E.
S. Plummer, rf	2	1	0	1	0	2
T. [illegible], 2b	4	0	1	2	2	0
A. [illegible]	4	0	1	0	2	1
[illegible], lb	4	0	0	8	0	1
[illegible], ss	4	0	2	2	0	0
S. [illegible], cf	4	0	1	12	3	0
C. [illegible], p	3	0	0	1	4	0
[illegible]	1	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible], c	3	0	1	2	1	1
[illegible]	1	0	1	0	0	0
[illegible]	3	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible], rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	1	6	27	12	5

*Batted for Crichton in ninth.

**Batted for Strickland. ***Batted for Clark.

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Midgets	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	4
P. C. C's	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

First base on errors—Midgets 4, P. C. C., 1. Three-base hit—Lotell. Sacrifice hits—Kountz, Dodge (fly.) Struck out—By Crichton 11, by Lotell 8. Base on balls—Off Crichton 3, off Lotell 2. Hit by pitcher—S. Plummer. Stolen bases—E. Brennan, J. Brennan, Lotell, S. Plummer, 2, Strickland, Kalmar. Time—2:25. Umpire—Yenger. Attendance—350.

RACE ENDS IN A TIE

The Virginia State league pennant race was on Saturday, the last day of the season, tied up between Roanoke and Norfolk. Norfolk won both games of a double header, while Roanoke split a double header with Richmond. A meeting of the board of directors of the league will be held Monday and several protested games will be decided, which will likely award the pennant to the Roanoke club. This race was one of the warmest that this section of the country has ever witnessed. In the event that the protested games are not allowed, a series of five games will be played off between the two teams.

MIDGETS DRAW PRAISE FROM IRONTONIAN

The Midgets are one of the nicest lot of ball players that come to Ironton. They are clean, gentlemanly players, never kick without cause, and play to win in a way that indicates true sportsmanship. While we think still that Ironton can beat them, it must be said that they put up a cleaner, stronger game of ball than any amateur team in this section. They are coming again a week from next Saturday and they will be given a cordial welcome by the team and fans. We like to have them, even if they do trim us. But maybe next time we can break the hoodoo.

Joe Brennen who covered first for the Midgets, is a professional player just home from a season out, and he was a world of strength to the Midgets. A good, seasoned minor leagner can do wonders with a heady, tractable bunch of players like the Midgets.—Irontonian.

OHIO TEAM WINS TROPHY

Sea Girt, N. J., Sept. 13.—The Ohio team won the Dryden trophy match Saturday with a score of 1024. It will get the big cup, valued at $4000 and $150 in cash.

The Marine Corps was second, with 1013 and Maryland third, with 985.

Major Martin of New Jersey, scored high in the Libbey match and J. W. Hessian, the famous New York shot, won the Sea Girt championship. W. G. Hudson of New York, captured the off-hand match.

Bugs Raymond was once valued at the worth of a whole team. He was with the Jackson club and Charleston went after him. "What will you give for Raymond?" asked the Jackson president of Matthews, the Charleston magnate. "My whole club," was the answer. A little later Raymond jumped to Charleston.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Chicago	5
Cincinnati	0
Pittsburg	4
St. Louis	3

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	94	36	.723
Chicago	90	41	.687
New York	77	50	.606
Cincinnati	65	64	.504
Philadelphia	63	69	.477
St. Louis	47	82	.364
Brooklyn	46	83	.357
Boston	36	93	.279

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Detroit	11
St. Louis	5
Second Game—	
Detroit	4
St. Louis	4
Darkness.	
Chicago	1
Cleveland	0

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	87	46	.654
Philadelphia	81	50	.618
Boston	77	56	.579
Cleveland	68	68	.500
Chicago	67	67	.500
New York	60	70	.462
St. Louis	56	76	.424
Washington	34	97	.260

AMERICAN ASSO.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Louisville	5
Toledo	3
Second Game—	
Toledo	2
Louisville	1
Indianapolis	5
Columbus	4
St. Paul	5
Milwaukee	3
Kansas City	4
Minneapolis	2
Second Game—	
Kansas City	4
Minneapolis	1

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Milwaukee	85	64	.570
Minneapolis	81	68	.544
Louisville	78	71	.523
St. Paul	72	73	.497
Indianapolis	74	77	.490
Columbus	70	79	.470
Toledo	68	81	.456
Kansas City	66	81	.449

BRID HITTING AT A NICE CLIP

Bridwell batted at 333 clip in Saturday's double header, getting two hits out of six times at the bat. His record to date is 123 games played, 397 times at bat, 50 runs, 116 hits, 20 stolen bases, and 18 sacrifice hits, with an average of 293. Seymour, Doyle and Bridwell are at present being a battle for the Giants' hitting honors with averages that hover about the 290 mark.

Wagner and Cobb, two players who will oppose each other in the world's championship series this fall, are leading their leagues by wide margins right now. Hyatt the emergency hitter of the Pirates is five points ahead of Wagner, but he has been at bat so few times that his record does not count. Hoblitzel, the Cincinnati first baseman, by consistent stick work has grabbed off second place in the National League, while Mike Mitchell follows him in third place.

In the American league Ty Cobb has jumped into a safe lead for the batting honors and bids fair to hold it. He is now hitting at a 363 clip, nine points better than Eddie Collins, of the Athletics, his nearest rival. Lajoie, the ex-Cleveland manager, holds third position, but is twenty seven points behind Cobb. The latter leads the American league in stolen bases, while Wagner is the boss of the National league in this respect.

THE SPEEDY MIDGETS TRIM IRONTONIANS

The Midgets are still Jonahs for Ironton, says the Irontonian.

Yesterday's game at Beechwood was lost to the scrappy Portsmouth boys by a score of 3 to 2. But they knew they were in a game all the way and it took their best to nose out a victory.

The fourth inning did the work. A trio of errors in rapid succession by Murray at short assisted largely in permitting three of the Midgets to cross the pan and it was the only inning in which they could negotiate the home station. The inning was disastrous and show the errancy of baseball. Murray has played a brilliant game up to that time and thereafter to the close. Two sensational one-handed catches robbed the Midgets of what looked like clean singles and all-told, he had eleven chances, which was bearing a good brunt of the game. It was Hugh's off inning and his example in that inning was contagious in erratic handling of the ball.

Ironton had several chances with the first man up reaching the initial sack, but the hitting was unfortunate and the field work of the visitors up to the minute. The Midgets knew they could overlook no chance and they fielded and ran bases with vim and vigor. They were indeed opponents of class and the defeat was not a stinging one. Following is the official score:

Portsmouth.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Brennen, lf	4	0	0	4	0	0
Ross, 2b	3	1	0	4	0	0
Reinhardt, rf	4	0	0	2	0	0
J. Brennen, 1b	4	1	0	13	0	0
Dodge, c	3	1	0	1	3	1
Allen, 3b	4	0	2	0	1	2
Doherty, ss	4	0	0	0	7	0
Grimm, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Fullen, p	3	0	2	1	4	0
Totals	32	3	4	27	15	3

Ironton.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Fracke, 2b	4	0	0	4	0	0
Mains, c	3	1	1	4	1	0
Ball, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Murray, ss	4	0	0	2	6	3
Shattuck, 1b	4	1	0	12	1	0
Grover, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Miller, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cook, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Spears, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Willis, p	2	0	0	1	4	0
Totals	29	2	3	27	16	3

Portsmouth	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0—3
Ironton	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—2

Two base hit—Allen.

First base on balls Off Willis, 1.

Struck out—By Fullen, 1; by Willis, 6.

Left on bases — Portsmouth, 5; Ironton, 3.

Hit by pitcher—Willis, Mains and Dodge.

Sacrifice hits—Spears, Ross.

Stolen bases—Portsmouth, 3; Ironton, 2.

Time of game—1:20.

Umpires—Fillgrove and Bull.

Dick Egan Is A Star

Second Baseman Egan of Cincinnati, has made only two errors in his last 32 games.

Wilkesbarre and Utica are having the most interesting race for the pennant that the New York State league has seen since its formation. They have been tied off and on for two weeks for first place, and had an interesting series last week of five games. Wilkesbarre winning three shutouts and Utica taking the other two games. The series ended with them still tied for first place.

Evans And Sheridan Possible Selections

For able and efficient services rendered on the diamond, it is rumored that Billy Evans will be one of the American league's representatives on the umpire staff in the coming world's series.

This is a position and an honor that Hank Johnson cannot fail to bestow upon the Cleveloander. Evans' work has been favorably commended upon by ball players, managers and club owners alike, and for the last two seasons he has been the most successful man now umpiring.

Of course, Jack Sheridan will be one of the umpires. This is a life job for the veteran of years on the diamond, and he can have the position as long as he wishes to continue.

It is possible that a third man will also be named to be used in case either one of the regulars is injured, and this position may be given to either Silk O'Loughlin or Tommy Connolly. It looks very much like Sheridan and Evans for the regulars, with Hank O'Day and Enslie for the National league.

WAGNER INTERVIEWED

Cannitz was practicing on the field at the New York Polo grounds, and Hans Wagner came up behind them and watched him work. Cannitz has been the most successful pitcher in the Pittsburg club this year.

"Hans," said Fred Clark, teasingly, "do you think that you could hit that fellow?"

The big shortstop grinned his good-natured way and shook his head deprecatingly without replying.

He walked back two or three steps and then sidled up toward Clarke and said: "I didn't want to discourage a winner. Maybe I couldn't hit him, either, but I would have an eye on the ball."

Somebody asked Wagner if there was any pitcher who bothered him. "If I feel right, I don't worry much," he said. "But a man doesn't feel the same every day. Sometimes it doesn't seem as if a pitcher can throw anything that you can't beat a line on. Perhaps you will not hit the ball safely all the time, but you know you are going to hit the moment you swing right. Otherwise you can't gauge the ball. People seem to forget that pitchers are not the same on every day. One week you can hit them because they are not feeling as strong as they might, and the next week you can't touch them."

Wagner was asked as to the longest hit he ever made when he was in New York for the last time. "I don't know," said he simply. "I never keep track. There are so many different grounds that I wouldn't know it when I made it. Just as likely as not the home run that I batted into the left field seats of the Polo grounds was the longest. I know that it was long enough.

"It's one funny thing about baseball," said the German philosopher. "People think it should be played like a machine, always perfect, but men aren't machines. If it was like a machine it wouldn't be any more fun than watching a rolling mill turn out rails."

That's more baseball than Wagner usually talks for a season.

BASEBALL

Waddell has won only one game from the Athletics this year, dropping four games to Connie Mack.

Krause has taken four games each from Boston, Detroit and Washington this year, losing two to the Tigers.

Frank Smith of the White Sox, has been the hoodoo of the Highlanders, from whom he has taken seven games this year, losing only one game.

Since he joined Philadelphia, Morgan has pitched 19 games, winning 12 and losing 7. He has beaten Cleveland five times, losing to the Naps twice.

"There's one thing I like about Comiskey," says Sullivan. "He doesn't lay down on a fellow simply because he doesn't make good on every occasion. Take Lee Tannehill, for instance. He wasn't a wonder when he joined us, but 'Commy' saw in him the ball mark of a future great."

You can't tell when those Cubs are beaten. Just as they come from behind in single games they are likely to come from behind in the pennant race. They won't be out of the running until the lead of another team exceeds the number of unplayed games in the schedule.

Guy Johnson, one of the Highlanders' new infielders, who is at present with the Portland club of the Pacific Coast league, is pronounced as a coming star by Fielder Jones, former manager of the Chicago White Sox.

When Jack Knight, of the Highlanders isn't playing ball he is listening to good music. When the team is on the road he spends his spare time at concerts or playing the hotel piano, and at school he was the leader of the glee club. He has a fine bass voice and sings well.

Dr. Cook, of Brooklyn, has signed a contract to scout for Connie Mack next season. Any man able to do what he did should discover a pennant pole without difficulty.

Perhaps the question as to which team had the best of the Bobby Byrne deal can be answered satisfactorily now by requesting Fred Clark to swap back again and carefully noting the Pirates' refusal.

"Beware of the ball player who says he hopes you win a game," remarks Connie Mack. "That is always the player that goes in and works his head off to give you a beating."

Mike Donlin declares that a boy who cannot throw better than the average should not attempt to play shortstop. The slow rollers and also the deep smashes cannot be turned into outs unless the shortfielder gets the ball away fast and with much force.

There are but three men in the American association batting over 300, Jake Thielman, the Boston American castoff, being one of the elect.

Captain Anson believes that the pitcher's should be shortened to 50 feet, killing the break now made possible by the great pitchers. There was a time when old Anson didn't care what the distance was.

The change of scene has evidently done Bob Ganley good. Since he left the Washington Warriors and joined the Agile Athletics Bob has been doing some ball smiting, and his place in the affections of the Philadelphia fans is already secure.

In the opinion of a majority of the Washington players, the Washington club has picked up a coming crack hitter in young Miller, recently secured from Pottsville. Miller is a mere boy and has much to learn, but he has demonstrated in the morning practice that he is a natural hitter.

Fallen Off In Hitting

Artie Hofman of the Cubs, has fallen off considerably in his batting since July.

After A Veteran

The Boston club is said to be negotiating with Newark for the veteran outfielder, Jake Gettman.

River Citys Take Double Header

The fast River City team succeeded in taking a double header from the chesty Spiders and the Giants in two as pretty contests as one would expect to witness in amateur baseball, scoring a shut out in the first game to the tune of 4 to 0 and copping the second affair by the close score of 4 to 3, at Riverside park, Sunday afternoon.

The Spiders lost the first engagement for the simple reason that they were unable to hit opportunely the delivery of Manager Gemperline, who held them to five scattered hits and kept his shut out on ice from the opening inning of the struggle. Johnson was found for a total of ten hits, several of which came in bunches and this, coupled with three errors on the part of his teammates spelled defeat for him. Hornung, the speedy shortstop of the River Citys, made a one-handed stab of a liner off the bat of Stillwell that brought the crowds to their feet in a display of vigorous enthusiasm.

The second game, in which the River Citys found the Giants opposing them, was tight from start to finish and until the last man had dropped his bat and stowed his glove away, you could not tell which would land the victory. It was a pretty pitchers' battle between Ashford for the River Citys and Roth for the Giants, in which Roth came out second best. Riggles batted like a fiend for the River Citys in this contest.

The splendid weather conditions of Sunday drew a large crowd to River Side park, where patrons were more than repaid for coming by being given the opportunity of seeing a very classy article of amateur baseball.

Ketchel Declares He'll Lick Jack

New York, Sept. 13.—Stanley Ketchel is highly pleased by the report from the Pacific coast concerning the ten-round bout between Al Kaufman and Jack Johnson. Previous to this contest at Colma, Kaufman was considered the most likely young heavyweight contender in the field against Johnson. Of course this did not include Jeffries. The negro's lack of hitting was a notable feature of the Kaufman fight, and as that eliminates the greatest danger Ketchel is now confident that he will whip Johnson.

Apparently Johnson considers Ketchel as lightly as he did Kaufman, but Ketchel's friends believe that the negro is not figuring on the remarkable aggressiveness of the Montana pugilist.

Ketchel, who is in training here for his fight with Langford next Friday night, says that the most notable features of the fight in Colma was Johnson's defense.

"I do not expect to penetrate Johnson's wonderful defense in the first few rounds," said Ketchel, "but I propose to weaken him with attacks on the body until he is ready to lower his guard. His fight with Kaufman shows that his body is his most vulnerable point and that will be my object of attack. Johnson is a fancy, but slow hitter, and I will have no trouble avoiding his leads. There is not the least doubt that I will be the champion pugilist in a short time and that Jeffries will be spared the ignominy which he dreads so much in meeting the negro."

Ketchel, contrary to his statements when he arrived here from the Pacific coast, is reducing his weight. He has already taken off from 12 to 15 pounds, stripped. He says he will maintain that weight until he enters the ring with Langford.

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FAREWELL SERMON OF DR. J. C. JACKSON

A very large congregation assembled at Bigelow last night, drawn there to greet Dr. J. C. Jackson on the eve of his retiring from the pastorate of the church, to an assignment elsewhere in the conference. The "farewell sermon" formerly was considered quite an occasion in the Methodist church, but of late years it has practically dropped out, the last night of a preacher's pastorate at a particular church being given up to statistics and business matters. Last night's services at Bigelow was an admixture of both.

The doctor is not a believer in numbers as the chief desideratum in a church, holding that in this case quality is better than quantity. Neither does he believe in a church carrying excess baggage in the way of dead timber; hence, when he was assigned to the charge four years ago, the first thing he did was to look over the membership roll and see what was live material and dead. He found 834 names on the church register, but many of them did not show up in the congregation at any of the meetings and he began the weeding out process. The conference rules provide that if a member leaves a church without taking out a letter and remains away a year without asking for one, such person is considered no longer a member of that church, and his name may be dropped. Dr. Jackson found many cases of this kind and proceeded to eliminate. During his four years of pastorate he has eliminated till now, at the close, there are 629 members in good standing on the books. The growth of the congregation in the meantime had been steady, though he had never sought large membership. There had been an average increase of 24 per year.

The doctor mentioned a circumstance of much interest to himself and all present. He said last Wednesday Will S. Andres, well known as "Doc Waddell," called at his study and expressed the desire to join the church. He gave him a history of his life and said he had made up his mind to join the church and hereafter lead the Christian life. He told Dr. Jackson he desired to join the church while he was pastor. The doctor looked at the records and found that Mr. Andres had withdrawn from the congregation in 1886, then being 22 years old. The doctor took his name as a probationer and said he would instruct his successor, whoever he might be, to take Mr. Andres into the fold as a probationer in the manner prescribed by the church laws. He also recommended him to the kind consideration of the membership. Mr. Andes' move was not a surprise to some in the congregation, for he has been talking along this line for more than a year. He was reared in Bigelow, his mother and sisters are devoted members and his father was when living. Will was a very bright Sunday school pupil. It would not be surprising if he ultimately went into evangelistic work.

Another beautiful ceremony required by the conference rules and now seldom observed, is that of reading of the list of those members who have died during the year, on the last night of the conference year, while the congregation remained standing. Dr. Jackson requested the congregation to rise, and read the list. Eight had died during the conference year, and Dr. Jackson said this was a large average. He accompanied the reading of each name with a few appropriate remarks. The deceased members ranged in age from child to one of 87.

Dr. Jackson took his text from Paul's epistle to the Romans, and it related to the dual life of man, the spiritual life and the fleshy life. He spoke of the warfare between the lives, and said all sin, all sorrow, all sickness, all calamity was the result of the life of the flesh usurping the functions of the life of the spirit. Such usurpation was in effect sin. He quoted largely from Paul, who was a man in whom both the animal and spiritual were proverbially developed and the conflict of the two made up a large part of Paul's wonderful career. The discourse was close to psychological lines. The only safety was in adhering to the will of the spirit. There were some who believed in dallying with sin, of sinning and being forgiven. He didn't hold to such theology. Sin writes its ugly name in the body, in nerve and brain, in face and figure. Go to any police court or any crowded street, and look at the faces which indicated animality and a dead soul.

At the close he had the choir and congregation sing "God be With You Till We Meet Again." He gave an invitation to those desiring to unite with the church on probation or by letter to come forward, and a middle-aged man named John Aumiller, went forward and joined on probation. He is a railroad switch tender and boards at the St. Louis hotel.

After the benediction large numbers went forward and shook hands with Dr. Jackson. He goes to conference tomorrow and last night closed his pastorate at Bigelow.

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Philip Hans, a large property owner in the extreme West End, says the worst blow that end of the city received was where the old Burgess Steel and Iron Works were destroyed by fire. He said Mr. York had concluded to greatly enlarge the plant and had secured options on much of the adjoining property, as far south as Second street and east of Madison. This included Mr. Hans' property. All the people who had given options were greatly elated. They were promised good prices for their property and many were preparing to build elsewhere. Then came the fire and it was all off. Mr. Hans thinks if the mill had not been destroyed and he had enlarged the plant on the lines he had in view, the steel plant at Mann's Run would never have been built, the West End would have become wonderfully prospered and the map of the city would have been changed. There would never have been any Millbrook park, and possibly no New Boston.

The Kanawha Lumber company was the starter of that village, but it also was destroyed by fire, rebuilt, but soon disappeared. Mr. Hans thinks the West End of the city is still a splendid site for manufactures. Mr. Hans' father, Henry Hans, owned all of the property between Third, Fourth, Madison and the first alley east of Madison and his heirs inherited it at his death.

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IN CHARGE OF CIGAR STORE

P. J. L. Haubert, a well known former traveling salesman, has been placed in charge of the Thos. Wiechens cigar store on Chillicothe street.

Mr. Haubert will be assisted in the management of the store by Paul Rem, the adopted son of the late cigar manufacturer. The store and stock will be appraised Tuesday and after the inventory is completed the cigar factory in connection with the store will resume operations. Herb Coriell, who has been employed at the store for many years has given up his position there.

Many Went To Cincinnati

The N. & W. excursion to Cincinnati Sunday was well patronized 185 tickets having been sold in Portsmouth and 125 at Ironton. The N. & W. will run a Bridwell excursion to the Queen City Sunday, September 26th, when the New York Giants will make their farewell appearance at League park for this season.

Four feature acts—Majestic tonight.

Royal Arcanum.

Will meet tomorrow, Tuesday evening at Eagles hall, corner of Sixth and Chillicothe streets. Open at 7:30 p. m. All members are invited to be present.

NEW COLLEGE IS NOW OPEN

St. John business college, a new commercial course in connection with Holy Redeemer church, opened Monday morning.

The beginning was highly gratifying to the good sisters in charge as 31 applicants presented themselves for enrollment. The frame building adjoining the brick school has been fitted up for the new school and made commodious and specially adaptable to its use. The courses, which will include book keeping, typewriting and the studies necessary to a first class business education will be under the directions of experienced teachers from the order and the success had locally heretofore will be broadened and strengthened by larger facilities and improved methods.

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JAMES JESSE INJURED IN COLLISION

James Jesse, an N. & W. fireman had his back sprained and sustained severe bruises about the head and arms, in a side-swipe collision at the East Portsmouth terminals Sunday morning.

The collision occurred on the caboose track. A switch engine struck a caboose and smashed it to pieces. Jesse, who was in the cab narrowly escaped being crushed to death. He was carried to the R. R. Y. M. C. A. hospital, where he is still receiving treatment. He is a nephew of Dr. W. T. Jesse, of New Boston, and only came here a short time ago to enter the service of the N. & W.

TO REMODEL CLUB ROOM

At a meeting of the directors of the Denizen club, an organization of young men, with headquarters in the Masonic Temple, it was decided to close the club rooms for the week beginning September the 20th, and to give the quarters a thorough overhauling. Contractor Ed Brehmer has secured the contract for refreshening the walls of the rooms and refinishing the floors. New furniture will be installed and when the club is thrown open again for the winter season it will be one of the very swellest in the city.

The directors also empowered a committee composed of Thomas Dougan, Clifford Connell and William Bolles to select a nominating board to make nominations for officers for the ensuing term of office. The nominations will be completed by Sept. 25 and the election held on the 27th day of this month.

Asked to Name Delegates

Mayor Searey is in receipt of a letter from the Ohio Valley Improvement Association asking him to appoint delegates to the convention to be held in Cincinnati next month.

Can't Read Palms Here

A palmist called up police headquarters Monday morning and asked for a license. Chief Barnes informed him that palmistry was no longer tolerated in Portsmouth. The state law forbids it.

To Work At Terminals.

Walter Glenn, a former N. & W. machinist, who has been located in Missouri, near St. Joe, arrived home Saturday night. He will likely resume his old position at the N. & W. terminals.

Drug Store Clerk.

Will Andres, Jr., is clerking at Miller's drug store.

See Dockstader Minstrels

Stanley Staten, Walter Bittner, Charles Nap, Howard Cadot, Geo. Wurster and Bobby Lewis spent Sunday in Cincinnati, where they took in Lew Dockstaders minstrels the opener of the Lyric theatre. The show is great, according to these able critics, and promises to make no end of a hit with Dockstader's hosts of admirers in the Queen City. The minstrel king delivers his monologue this season from an aroplane and already has acts burlesquing the dash of Peary and Cook to the north pole and the celebrated trip of Teddy Roosevelt into the wilds of darkest Africa.

School caps at Lehman's.

MAKES COMPLAINT AGAINST AUTO DRIVER

Mrs. D. L. Webb, Jr., complained to the police Saturday night that a reckless autoist had come near causing her an accident by refusing to get in the clear. Mrs. Webb was driving east on Eleventh when nearing Lincoln street, an auto was coming towards her on the wrong side of the street. She shouted to the driver but disregarding her entirely he bore right down upon her horse with the machine. The animal frightened and ran upon the sidewalk. Mrs. Webb tried to learn the name of the man but the best she could do was to secure the number of his car, which was 20613.

Call up about your reserved seats—Majestic.

Arthur Gerlach Home.

Arthur Gerlach, representative of the Catholic Columbian, returned home Saturday night from a successful trip in the northern part of the state, leaving again Monday morning for Ironton in the interest of his publication.

Two More Waitresses.

The Manhattan restaurant has added two young ladies to its corps of waiters.

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